

STATE OF ARIZONA



Office of the CORPORATION COMMISSION

I, Ernest G. Johnson, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, do hereby certify that the attached copy of the following document:

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT & MERGER 09/29/1971

consisting of 22 pages, is a true and complete copy of the original of said document on file with this office for:

COLT INDUSTRIES OPERATING CORP.
ACC file number: F00101267



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Arizona Corporation Commission on this date: October 31, 2012.



Executive Director
By:  _____

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AGREEMENT OF MERGER dated as of
September 28, 1971, by and among FAIRBANKS
MORSE INC, a Delaware corporation ("F-M"),
COLT'S INC, an Arizona corporation ("Colt's"),
ELOX INC, a Delaware corporation ("Elox"),
GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY, a Delaware cor-
poration ("Detterbeck"), LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL
PARK CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation
("Liberty"), MICKEY THOMPSON ENTERPRISES, INC.,
a Delaware corporation ("MTE"), QUINCY INC,
a Delaware corporation ("Quincy"), PRATT &
WHITNEY INC, a Delaware corporation ("P&W"),
MACHINERY TRADING INC, a Delaware corpo-
ration ("MTI"), and POTTER & JOHNSTON
COMPANY, a Delaware corporation ("Potter").

The Board of Directors of each of F-M, Colt's,
Elox, Detterbeck, Liberty, MTE, Quincy, P&W, MTI and
Potter (collectively the "Constituent Corporations")
has deemed it advisable for the benefit of that cor-
poration and for the benefit of its stockholder that
Colt's, Elox, Detterbeck, Liberty, MTE, Quincy, P&W, MTI

and Potter (collectively called the "Merging Corporations")
be merged into F-M (the "Surviving Corporation") on the terms
and conditions herein set forth and has approved this Agree-
ment of Merger (the "Agreement").

F-M, Elox, Detterbeck, Liberty, MTE, Quincy, P&W,
MTI, and Potter are duly organized and existing as
corporations under the laws of the State of Delaware, having
been incorporated on the dates and under the names indicated
below and having on the date hereof authorized capital stock
consisting of the number of shares of Common Stock, with the
par values, indicated below, of which the number of shares
indicated below are issued and outstanding and entitled to
one vote per share:

<u>Corporation</u>	<u>Date of Incorporation</u>	<u>Name Under Which Incorporated</u>	<u>Authorized Capital Stock (Consisting of Common Stock)</u>	<u>Par Value</u>	<u>Shares of Common Stock Issued and Outstanding</u>
F-M	Apr. 28, 1964	Fairmorco Corporation	10,000	\$1	1,000
Flox	May 24, 1967	Elox Corporation	2,000	No Par	1,000
Detterbeck	Oct. 22, 1965	Colt Moline Corporation	200	No Par	10
Liberty	Nov. 29, 1955	Liberty Products Corporation	1,000	\$100	1,000
MTL	Oct. 9, 1969	Mickey-Colt Inc	1,000	No Par	1,000
Quincy	Nov. 17, 1965	Q Acquisition Inc	10,000	\$1	1,000
P&W	June 22, 1955	Pratt & Whitney, Incorporated	200	No Par	200
MTI	Mar. 22, 1956	Penn-Texas Corporation	250	\$1	250
Potter	Mar. 15, 1948	Potter & Johnston Company	250	No Par	250

Colt's is duly organized and existing as a corporation under the laws of the State of Arizona, a Certificate of Incorporation having been issued to it on March 17, 1954, under the name "A and B Mining Corporation" and has authorized capital stock of 2,500,000 shares of Common Stock, each with a par value of \$10, of which 30,000 shares are issued and outstanding and entitled to one vote per share.

F-M was qualified to do business in the State of Arizona on May 11, 1964, pursuant to Section 10-481 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants and agreements herein contained and for the purpose of prescribing the terms and conditions of the merger (the "Merger") of the Merging Corporations into the Surviving Corporation, the method or mode of carrying the same into effect, the manner of converting or exchanging the shares and assets of the Merging Corporations into or for shares of the Surviving Corporation and such other details and provisions necessary to disclose all matters affecting the Merger or as are otherwise deemed necessary and desirable, the parties hereto have agreed, and do hereby agree, subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth, as follows:

ARTICLE I

1.01. The Merger. At the later of (i) the date this Agreement shall have been filed pursuant to Section 251(c) of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and pursuant to Section 10-345 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona or (ii) the close of business on September 30, 1971 ("the Effective Time of the Merger"), the Merging Corporations shall be merged into the Surviving

Corporation; the separate existence of the Merging Corporations shall cease; and the Surviving Corporation shall continue to exist under the name "Colt Industries Operating Corp" by virtue of and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware.

1.02. Stockholder Action. This Agreement shall be submitted to the sole stockholder of each of the Constituent Corporations for adoption or approval by it.

1.03. Effect of Merger. At the Effective Time of the Merger, the Surviving Corporation without further action shall succeed to, possess and enjoy all property and assets of the Merging Corporations and all debts due to the Merging Corporations shall be taken and deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Surviving Corporation without further act or deed, but all rights of creditors against and liens on the property of any of the Merging Corporations shall be preserved unimpaired, and the Surviving Corporation shall thenceforth be responsible for all the liabilities, duties, and obligations of the Merging Corporations which may be enforced against the Surviving Corporation in the same manner and to the same extent as if incurred or contracted by, or imposed upon the Surviving Corporation, all as provided by the laws of Delaware and Arizona. At any time or from time to time after the Effective Time of the Merger the last acting officers of the respective Merging Corporations shall, in the name of the respective Merging

Corporations, execute and deliver all such proper deeds, assignments and other instruments, as the Surviving Corporation may deem necessary or desirable in order to vest, perfect or confirm the Surviving Corporation's title to and possession of all property, rights, privileges, powers, franchises, immunities and purposes of the Merging Corporations, to evidence the fact that the separate existence of the Merging Corporations has ceased and otherwise to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.

In furtherance of the foregoing, all corporate acts, plans, policies, approvals and authorizations of the stockholder, Board of Directors, committees elected or appointed by the Board of Directors, officers or agents of the respective Merging Corporations which were valid and effective immediately prior to the Effective Time of the Merger shall be taken for all purposes as the acts, plans, policies, approvals and authorizations of the Surviving Corporation and shall be as effective and binding on the Surviving Corporation as the same were with respect to the respective Merging Corporations. The employees and agents of the respective Merging Corporations shall become the employees and agents of the Surviving Corporation and shall continue to be entitled to the same rights and benefits, and subject to the same limitations, qualifications, rights of amendment, termination, reassignment or changes in assignment, reserved to the respective Merging Corporations, which they enjoyed and were subject to as employees and agents of the respective Merging Corporations.

ARTICLE II

2.01. The Capital Stock of the Constituent Corporations. At the Effective Time of the Merger, the issued and then outstanding shares of Common Stock of each of the Merging Corporations shall not be converted or exchanged but shall be surrendered and canceled, and shares of the Surviving Corporation shall not be issued in exchange therefor; and the shares of the Surviving Corporation shall not be changed.

ARTICLE III

3.01. Certificate of Incorporation of Surviving Corporation. At the Effective Time of the Merger the Certificate of Incorporation of F-M shall be amended as follows:

1. Article FIRST shall be deleted and the following inserted in lieu thereof:

"FIRST: The name of the corporation (hereinafter called the Corporation) is COLT INDUSTRIES OPERATING CORP"

As so amended the Certificate of Incorporation of F-M in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time of the Merger shall become and continue to be the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.

3.02. By-laws of Surviving Corporation. The By-laws of F-M as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time of the Merger shall become and continue to be the By-laws of the Surviving Corporation.

3.03. Board of Directors of Surviving Corporation. The number of directors of the Surviving Corporation shall be three, and the persons constituting the the Board of Directors of F-M immediately prior to the Effective Time of the Merger shall continue to be the directors of the Surviving Corporation and shall hold office until the annual meeting of stockholders of the Surviving Corporation next following the Effective Time of the Merger and until their successors shall have been elected and shall have qualified. If at the Effective Time of the Merger a vacancy shall exist on the Board of Directors, such vacancy may be filled in the manner provided by the By-laws of the Surviving Corporation as in effect at and after such time.

3.04. Officers of the Surviving Corporation. The number of officers of the Surviving Corporation shall be nine, and the officers of F-M in office immediately prior to the Effective Time of the Merger shall become and continue to be

the officers of the Surviving Corporation, each to hold office in accordance with the By-laws of the Surviving Corporation as in effect at and after the Effective Time of the Merger.

ARTICLE IV

4.01. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and it shall not be necessary in making proof of this Agreement to produce or account for more than one such counterpart.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the President and a majority of the Board of Directors of each of the Constituent Corporations have executed and entered into this Agreement in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona and the Secretary of each Constituent Corporation has attested the seal of each such Constituent Corporation impressed hereon.

FAIRBANKS MORSE INC,

by

Mark P. Broughton
President & Director

Will E. O'Keefe
Director

Will E. O'Keefe
Director

A majority of the Board of
Directors

CORPORATE [Seal]

Attest:

Will E. O'Keefe
Secretary

COLT'S INC,

by Frank J. Evangelist
President and Director

Will J. Ford
Director

[Seal]

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
Secretary

Donald E. O'Keefe
Director

A majority of the Board of
Directors

ELOX INC,

by Frank J. Evangelist
President & Director

Will J. Ford
Director

[Seal]

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
Secretary

Donald E. O'Keefe
Director

A majority of the Board of
Directors

GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY,

by Will J. Ford
President & Director

Frank J. Evangelist
Director

[Seal]

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
Secretary

Donald E. O'Keefe
Director

A majority of the Board of
Directors

LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK
CORPORATION,by Will D. Ford
President & DirectorFrank J. Evangelist Jr.
Director

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
SecretaryDonald E. O'Keefe
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

MICKEY THOMPSON ENTERPRISES, INC.,

by Will D. Ford
President & DirectorFrank J. Evangelist Jr.
Director

[Seal]

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
SecretaryDonald E. O'Keefe
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

PRATT & WHITNEY INC,

by Will D. Ford
President & DirectorFrank J. Evangelist Jr.
Director

{Seal}

Attest:

Donald E. O'Keefe
SecretaryDonald E. O'Keefe
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

QUINCY INC,

by Frank E. Bangehart Jr.
President & DirectorWill D. Duff
Director

Attest:

Donald E. C. Kaye
SecretaryDonald E. C. Kaye
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

MACHINERY TRADING INC,

by Frank E. Bangehart Jr.
President & DirectorWill D. Duff
Director

Attest:

Donald E. C. Kaye
SecretaryDonald E. C. Kaye
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

POTTER & JOHNSTON COMPANY,

by Will D. Duff
President & DirectorFrank E. Bangehart Jr.
Director

[Seal]

Attest:

Donald E. C. Kaye
SecretaryDonald E. C. Kaye
Director
A majority of the Board of
Directors

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of FAIRBANKS MORSE INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between FAIRBANKS MORSE INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of FAIRBANKS MORSE INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of FAIRBANKS MORSE INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of FAIRBANKS MORSE INC this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of COLT'S INC, an Arizona corporation, AND DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between COLT'S INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of COLT'S INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona and Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

2. The sole holder of capital stock of COLT'S INC executed a written consent waiving the provisions of Section 10-343 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona with respect to notice by mail and notice by publication and adopted the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of COLT'S INC this 28th day of September 1971.

Donald E. O'Leary
Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of ELOX INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between ELOX INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of ELOX INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of ELOX INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder in Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of ELOX INC this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of GEORGE L. DETTERBECK COMPANY this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK CORPORATION and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK CORPORATION and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK CORPORATION pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of LIBERTY INDUSTRIAL PARK CORPORATION this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of QUINCY INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between QUINCY INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of QUINCY INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of QUINCY INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of QUINCY INC this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of MACHINERY TRADING INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between MACHINERY TRADING INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of MACHINERY TRADING INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of MACHINERY TRADING INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of MACHINERY TRADING INC this 28th day of September 1971.


Secretary

DO NOT SEAL [Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of PRATT & WHITNEY INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between PRATT & WHITNEY INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of PRATT & WHITNEY INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of PRATT & WHITNEY INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder in Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of PRATT & WHITNEY INC this 28th day of September 1971.

Donald E. Kape
Secretary

[Seal]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the Secretary of MACHINERY TRADING INC, a Delaware corporation, and DO FURTHER CERTIFY as follows:

1. The foregoing Agreement of Merger (herein called the "Agreement") between MACHINERY TRADING INC and the other parties named therein was approved by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of MACHINERY TRADING INC and thereafter was executed in accordance with Section 103 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 10-342 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Arizona.

2. The Agreement thereafter was adopted by the sole holder of all the capital stock of MACHINERY TRADING INC pursuant to a Consent of Stockholder In Lieu of Meeting given in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do sign my name as Secretary of MACHINERY TRADING INC this 28th. day of September 1971.


Secretary

CORPORATE [Seal]

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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
IN REPLY TO A LETTER
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At 11:50 A.M. at the office of
J. T. Corporation System
Address 14 E. 1st Ave.
Phoenix, Arizona 85001
By Mary J. O'Neil
SECRETARY

William R. Johnson

R. 87544

RECORDER'S OFFICE,
MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA

Phoenix, Arizona, 9-29, 1971

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To PAUL N. MARSTON, Recorder, Dr.
To Recording Instrument as follows:

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are required by law to
be paid in advance before
instruments are placed on record.

INSTRUMENT	GRANTOR	GRANTEE	FEE
(1) Agreement of Merger between a Group			2.00
(2) of Delaware Corporations and			
(3) Calte Inc. and Parkside Motel			
(4) Inc. Changing Name to: Calte			
(5) Industries Operating Corp.			
(6)			

FORM 31-1 (REV. 7-57)

CT Corp
agent

MAIL TO: MAY 5 1982
P.O. BOX 6019 - PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85005
ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
1210 W. WASHINGTON PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85007
402 WEST CONGRESS AVENUE TUCSON, ARIZONA 85701

ANNUAL REPORT ARS 10-125 & CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE ARS 10-128
FORM PURSUANT TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULE R-12-1-102
DIRECTIONS: Please complete all 4 sides of this Annual Report and return to the ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
P.O. Box 6019, Phoenix, Az. 85005 (20%) 402 W. Congress, Tucson, Az. 85701 with your Fee.

A. CORPORATION INFORMATION

FILE NO. **P- 010126-7**

Corporation Name **COLT INDUSTRIES OPERATING CORP**
Street Address **430 PARK AVE**
P.O. Box (if any)
City, State, Zip Code **NEW YORK NY 10022**

TYPE OF CORPORATION **PROFIT**
FEE **30.00**
PENALTY
TOTAL

Name of Arizona Statutory Agent **C T CORPORATION SYSTEM**
Street Address **14 NO 18TH AVE**
City, State, Zip Code **PHOENIX AZ 85007**

ANNUAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING

12	31	81
MO	DAY	YR

DUE ON OR BEFORE

06	15	82
MO	DAY	YR

12/81

B. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: If there has been a change in any of the preceding information, please indicate below the change required.

C. BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE CHARACTER OF BUSINESS IN WHICH THE CORPORATION IS ACTUALLY ENGAGED IN ARIZONA:

Sale of Industrial Products

D. CAPITALIZATION: Aggregate number of shares authorized as follows

NUMBER AUTHORIZED	CLASS	SERIES	PAR VALUE
10,000	Common	-	1.00

*NOT REQUIRED FOR NON-PROFIT CORPORATIONS

NUMBER ISSUED	CLASS	SERIES	PAR VALUE
1,000	Common	-	1.00

E. SHAREHOLDERS DIRECTIONS: Fill in names of shareholders of record holding more than 1% of any class of shares issued by the corporation, including persons beneficially entitled to shares. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet.

Shareholder Name: **Colt Industries Inc (100%)**

Shareholder Name:

Shareholder Name:

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COLE INDUSTRIES OPERATING CORP

DIRECTORS:

George A. Strickman
David I. Margolis
William D. Ford

TITLE

ADDRESSES:

430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022
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OFFICERS

George A. Strickman
David I. Margolis
William D. Ford
Salvatore J. Coscolino
Phil Wallach
Andrew C. Hilton
Guy C. Shafer
Robert M. Burns
Paul G. Gubbins
Donald E. O'Keefe
Anthony J. diBuono
William D. Rudolph
Gerald Dase
Madison P. Stone
Julius Levinson
John J. Benis

Chairman of the Board
President
Vice President & Secretary
Vice President & Treasurer
Vice President
Vice President
Vice President
Vice President
Vice President & Asst Secretary
Assistant Secretary
Assistant Secretary
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Assistant Secretary
Assistant Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer
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430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022
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701 Lawton Avenue, Beloit, Wisc. 53511
430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022
Charter Oak Blvd., W. Hartford, CT 06101
11955 E. Nine Mile Rd., Warren, Mich. 48090
Charter Oak Blvd., W. Hartford, CT 06101
430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022
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701 Lawton Avenue, Beloit, Wisc. 53511
150 Bryshope Ave., Hartford, CT 06102
430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022
430 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022

Date and Place Incorporated

Authorized

Outstanding

Annual Meeting

Date of Last Annual Meeting

April 28, 1964 in Delaware
10,000 shares, \$1 par value
1,000 shares
Third Wednesday in April
April 6, 1961

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COLT INDUSTRIES OPERATING CORP

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CALENDAR YEAR 1961

CASH	AMOUNT 846,032
TRADE NOTES AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE A. LESS ALLOWANCE FOR BAD DEBTS	78,646,353 (2,533,403) 76,112,950
INVENTORIES	176,024,247
GOVT OBLIGATIONS - A. U.S. & INSTRUM B. STATE, SUBDIV THEREOF, ETC	
OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	11,199,878
LOANS TO STOCKHOLDERS	
MORTGAGE AND REAL ESTATE LOANS	583,923
OTHER INVESTMENTS	57,113,165
LAND, BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED DEPRECIABLE ASSETS A. LESS ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	236,761,372 (130,534,119) 106,227,253
DEPLETABLE ASSETS A. LESS ACCUMULATED DEPLETION	
INTANGIBLE ASSETS - AMORTIZABLE ONLY A. LESS ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION	
OTHER ASSETS	12,281,503
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>440,388,951</u>
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	44,385,552 -
NTGS, NOTES, BONDS PAYABLE IN LESS THAN 1 YR	300,452 -
OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	66,408,631 -
LOANS FROM STOCKHOLDERS	
NTGS, NOTES, BONDS PAYABLE IN 1 YR OR MORE	2,308,585 -
OTHER LIABILITIES	34,023,596 -
CAPITAL STOCK - A. PREFERRED STOCK B. COMMON STOCK	1,000 - 1,000 -
PAID-IN OR CAPITAL SURPLUS	69,464,329 -
RETAINED EARNINGS - APPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS - UNAPPROPRIATED LESS COST OF TREASURY STOCK	223,496,806 -
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY	<u>440,388,951 -</u>

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M. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION BALANCE SHEET

YOU MAY SUBSTITUTE FOR THIS BALANCE SHEET AN EXACT COPY OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS AS PROVIDED IN A.R.S. § 10-127, A COPY OF SCHEDULE L FILED WITH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE OR A COPY OF SCHEDULE L, FORM 130 FILED WITH THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE FOR THE PURPOSES OF TAXATION OF INCOME PURSUANT TO TITLE 43, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Cash
Trade notes and accounts receivable
(a) Less allowance for bad debts
Inventories
Gov't obligations: (a) U.S. and instrumentalities
(b) State, subdivisions thereof, etc.
Other current assets
Loans to shareholders	SEE
Mortgage and Real Estate loans
Other investments	SCHEDULE
Buildings and other fixed depreciable assets
(a) Less accumulated depreciation	ATTACHED
Depletable assets
(a) Less accumulated depletion
Land (net of any amortization)
Intangible assets (amortizable only)
(a) Less accumulated amortization
Other assets
Total assets
<u>LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL</u>		
Accounts payable
Mtgs., notes, bonds payable in less than 1 yr.
Other current liabilities
Loans from shareholders
Mtgs., notes, bonds payable in 1 yr. or more
Other liabilities
Total Liabilities
Capital stock: (a) Preferred stock
(b) Common stock
Paid-in or capital surplus
Retained earnings - Appropriated
Retained earnings - Unappropriated
Less cost of treasury stock
Total Capital
Total Liabilities and Capital

STATE OF ARIZONA



Office of the CORPORATION COMMISSION

I, Ernest G. Johnson, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission, do hereby certify that the attached copy of the following document:

MERGER 05/19/1983

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Colt Industries Operating Corp	Delaware
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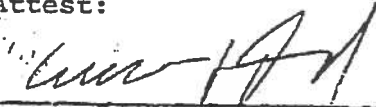
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John W. Guffey embraced change. When he was promoted from president and chief operating officer to the post of chief executive officer in the summer of 1995, he wasted little time before implementing sweeping changes. Partly for logistical reasons and partly to jar Coltec Industries' corporate culture, he moved the company's headquarters from Park Avenue in New York City to Charlotte, North Carolina, within his first year in charge. He also ordered the disposal of the company's automotive original-equipment business, orchestrating the sale of a \$400 million business that left Coltec Industries one-third smaller and focused on industrial equipment and aerospace equipment such as aircraft landing gear. The moves sent a shockwave throughout the organization, but they would pale in comparison to what happened to Coltec Industries after Guffey sat down to dinner with David L. Burner, the head of BFGoodrich Corporation.

BFGOODRICH ENTERS THE PICTURE

Burner headed a company that was no stranger to change. His company had been founded in 1870 by Dr. Benjamin Franklin Goodrich, who claimed the distinction of establishing the first rubber company located west of the Allegheny Mountains. A list of pioneering achievements in the design and manufacture of tires were credited to the company in subsequent decades,

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including its invention of the tubeless tire in 1946. Like Guffey's company, however, BFGoodrich evolved into different business areas. In the early 1960s, the U.S. government turned to the Ohio-based company for its help in designing the space suits astronauts would wear at the end of the decade in the first manned space flights, marking the company's first involvement in the aerospace market. Shifting priorities led BFGoodrich to abandon the tire business entirely in 1988 as it focused its resources on developing aerospace and performance materials.

The year Guffey was promoted to chief executive officer of Coltec Industries, BFGoodrich celebrated its 125th anniversary as a company wholly devoted to aerospace and performance materials. In 1997, two years later, BFGoodrich completed the acquisition of a \$1-billion-in-sales supplier of complex, integrated aircraft systems. Burner spearheaded the deal, and the following year, intent on strengthening BFGoodrich's aerospace business, he made a dinner appointment with Guffey.

The two chief executives met at Quail Hollow Country Club in Charlotte in November 1998. Guffey thought he would be discussing a business deal, but after Burner informed him that his management team had been scrutinizing Coltec Industries for three or four months and was interested in buying the company, the dinner conversation turned into an all-night affair. Guffey and Burner discussed details late into the night and resumed their meeting the following morning, when they sat across from each other over breakfast at the Park Hotel in Charlotte. After hours of discussion,

the two-day meeting resulted in an acceptable plan. Guffey and Burner had hatched out the particulars of an all-stock merger of Coltec Industries and BFGoodrich valued at \$2.2 billion.

The proposed business combination promised to create a nearly \$6-billion-in-sales aerospace and performance materials giant. It was a corporate marriage that numerous parties found unacceptable, triggering "what Wall Street observers say was one of the longest and most bitter acquisitions in U.S. industrial history—the deal from hell," according to the December 1999 issue of *Business North Carolina*. Partly because the merger would create a dominant competitor in the market for aircraft landing gear and partly because the merger called for BFGoodrich to move its corporate headquarters from Richfield, Ohio, to Charlotte, the announcement of the deal unleashed a storm of protest. The merger butted against two antitrust investigations, the intervention of three members of the U.S. Congress and the attorneys general of three states, and lawsuits filed by two competitors before it was completed in mid-1999.

1999 MERGER OF COLTEC INDUSTRIES AND BFGOODRICH

The merger greatly strengthened BFGoodrich's aerospace and performance materials businesses and gave it a third stream of revenue: Coltec Industries' industrial materials business. Burner anticipated the addition of the third business segment in a statement published in the November 30, 1998, issue of *Chemical Market Reporter*. "This merger," he said, "significantly enhances BFGoodrich's aerospace business, and with Coltec's high-margin, engineered industrial products business, we are adding an important third leg that balances our aerospace and performance materials portfolio and enhances our excellent prospects for continued growth." Following the merger, BFGoodrich derived 60 percent of its revenue from aerospace products, 25 percent from performance materials, and 15 percent from industrial materials.

BFGOODRICH PREPARES TO SPIN OFF ENPRO

Shortly after the merger was completed, Guffey left the BFGoodrich-Coltec organization, but Burner was not done orchestrating major deals. In 2001, he sold the company's performance materials business, a divestiture that left the company reliant on aerospace products and industrial materials. It also led to a name change, turning BFGoodrich Corporation into Goodrich Corporation. The sale was the first step of a two-step

plan to leave Goodrich wholly focused on the aerospace market. Burner next set his sights on what he had referred to as the company's "third leg," Goodrich's Engineered Industrial Products division, a business that was about to gain independence and emerge as EnPro.

In January 2002, EnPro was incorporated as a subsidiary of Goodrich in anticipation of the spinoff of the Engineered Industrial Products division to Goodrich shareholders. Selected to lead the company was Ernest F. Schaub, a 30-year Goodrich veteran. Schaub, who was appointed as EnPro's president and chief executive officer in May 2002, had spent the previous three years serving as Goodrich's executive vice-president and president and chief operating officer of the company's Engineered Industrial Products division, the former Coltec Industries assets slated to debut as EnPro.

DEBUT OF ENPRO: 2002

EnPro began trading on the New York Stock Exchange in June 2002, an occasion heralded by Schaub in a statement published in the June 3, 2002, issue of *Business Wire*. "Today is a banner day for EnPro," Schaub announced. "We are truly excited to join a respected list of publicly traded industrial products companies, and to have the opportunity to succeed as a more tightly focused and flexible company that is prepared to respond to the changing demands of our markets."

Schaub took charge of a company that at its birth had revenues of roughly \$700 million and employed 4,400 workers at 33 manufacturing facilities in nine countries. EnPro's operations included names well known to its clientele, including Garlock Sealing Technologies, Glacier Garlock Bearings, Fairbanks Morse Engines, Quincy Compressor, and Stemco. Its products—gaskets, metal polymer bearings, compressor systems, engines, and other engineered products—played a vital role in industrial applications. The one glaring weakness of the newly independent company was its exposure to asbestos lawsuits stemming from Garlock Sealing Technologies' use of asbestos in its products until 2001. The company was confident it could avoid any major repercussions, however. It noted that the gaskets containing asbestos were encapsulated and were primarily purchased by the U.S. Navy and large petrochemical companies, customers who understood the risks involved.

PROMISING FIRST YEARS

EnPro's first years in business produced encouraging results. After a shaky start (the company lost \$3 million in 2002) Schaub could greet shareholders with positive

news. EnPro posted \$33.2 million in net income in 2003, recorded five victories in six asbestos lawsuits, and, most heartening to shareholders, registered a massive 250 percent increase in its stock value. Financial growth during the next two years was impressive as well, lifting net income to \$58.6 million and revenues to \$838 million by the end of 2005.

As EnPro prepared for the future, it relished its newfound independence. With Schaub at the helm, the company was looking to expand its business in the three operating segments composing its operations: engineered products, sealing products, and engine products and services. Part of the company's expansion plans hinged on completing acquisitions. In 2006, EnPro purchased Amicon Plastics Inc., a Houston, Texas-based producer of fluoropolymer and engineered plastic components for semiconductor, pump and valve, and oilfield customers. In 2008, the company completed another purchase, acquiring the assets of Sinflex Sealing Technologies, a distributor and manufacturer of industrial sealing products located in Shanghai, China. In the years ahead, further deals were expected as EnPro searched worldwide for opportunities to expand its business.

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Guffey Takes Charge of Coltec Industries in 1995

Arguably the most profound changes in Colt Industries' history occurred after Margolis' tenure and after the company shed its namesake business. In 1990, Colt Industries sold its firearms business, a divestiture that led it to change its name to Coltec Industries. A few years later, another leader took charge who would usher in the period of transformation that led to the formation of EnPro.

John W. Guffey embraced change. When he was promoted from president and chief operating officer to the post of chief executive officer in the summer of 1995, he wasted little time before implementing sweeping changes. Partly for logistical reasons and partly to jar Coltec Industries' corporate culture, he moved the company's headquarters from Park Avenue in New York City to Charlotte, North Carolina, within his first year in charge. He also ordered the disposal of the company's automotive original-equipment business, orchestrating the sale of a \$400 million business that left Coltec Industries one-third smaller and focused on industrial equipment and aerospace equipment such as aircraft landing gear. The moves sent a shockwave throughout the organization, but they would pale in comparison to what happened to Coltec Industries after Guffey sat down to dinner with David L. Burner, the head of BFGoodrich Corporation.

BFGoodrich Enters the Picture

Burner headed a company that was no stranger to change. His company had been founded in 1870 by Dr. Benjamin Franklin Goodrich, who claimed the distinction of establishing the first rubber company located west of the Allegheny Mountains. A list of pioneering achievements in the design and manufacture of tires were credited to the company in subsequent decades, including its invention of the tubeless tire in 1946. Like Guffey's company, however, BFGoodrich evolved into different business areas. In the early 1960s, the U.S. government turned to the Ohio-based company for its help in designing the space suits astronauts would wear at the end of the decade in the first manned space flights, marking the company's first involvement in the aerospace market. Shifting priorities led BFGoodrich to abandon the tire business entirely in 1988 as it focused its resources on developing aerospace and performance materials.

The year Guffey was promoted to chief executive officer of Coltec Industries, BFGoodrich celebrated its 125th anniversary as a company wholly devoted to aerospace and performance materials. In 1997, two years later, BFGoodrich completed the acquisition of a \$1-billion-in-sales supplier of complex, integrated aircraft systems. Burner spearheaded the deal, and the following year, intent on strengthening BFGoodrich's aerospace business, he made a dinner appointment with Guffey.

The two chief executives met at Quail Hollow Country Club in Charlotte in November 1998. Guffey thought he would be discussing a business deal, but after Burner informed him that his management team had been scrutinizing Coltec Industries for three or four months and was interested in buying the company, the dinner conversation turned into an all-night affair. Guffey and Burner discussed details late into the night and resumed their meeting the following morning, when they sat across from each other over breakfast at the Park Hotel in Charlotte. After hours of discussion, the two-day meeting resulted in an acceptable plan. Guffey and Burner had hatched out the particulars of an all-stock merger of Coltec Industries and BFGoodrich valued at \$2.2 billion.

The proposed business combination promised to create a nearly \$6-billion-in-sales aerospace and performance materials giant. It was a corporate marriage that numerous parties found unacceptable, triggering "what Wall Street observers say was one of the longest and most bitter acquisitions in U.S. industrial history--the deal from hell," according to the December 1999 issue of *Business North Carolina*. Partly because the merger would create a dominant competitor in the market for aircraft landing gear and partly because the merger called for BFGoodrich to move its corporate headquarters from Richfield, Ohio, to Charlotte, the announcement of the deal unleashed a storm of protest. The merger butted against two antitrust investigations, the intervention of three members of the U.S. Congress and the attorneys general of three states, and lawsuits filed by two competitors before it was completed in mid-1999.

1999 Merger of Coltec Industries and BFGoodrich

The merger greatly strengthened BFGoodrich's aerospace and performance materials businesses and gave it a third stream of revenue: Coltec Industries' industrial materials business. Burner anticipated the addition of the third business segment in a statement published in the November 30, 1998, issue of *Chemical Market Reporter*. "This merger," he said, "significantly enhances BFGoodrich's aerospace business, and with Coltec's high-margin, engineered industrial products business, we are adding an important third leg that balances our aerospace and performance materials portfolio and enhances our excellent prospects for continued growth." Following the merger, BFGoodrich derived 60 percent of its revenue from aerospace products, 25 percent from performance materials, and 15 percent from industrial materials.

BFGoodrich Prepares to Spin Off EnPro

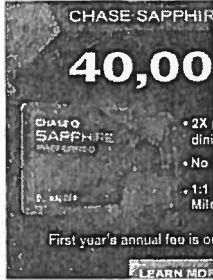
Shortly after the merger was completed, Guffey left the BFGoodrich-Coltec organization, but Burner was not done orchestrating major deals. In 2001, he sold the company's performance materials business, a divestiture that left the company reliant on aerospace products and industrial materials. It also led to a name change, turning BFGoodrich Corporation into Goodrich Corporation. The sale was the first step of a two-step plan to leave Goodrich wholly focused on the aerospace market. Burner next set his sights on what he had referred to as the company's "third leg," Goodrich's Engineered Industrial Products division, a business that was about to gain independence and emerge as EnPro.

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2003: EnPro Industries' stock value increases by 250 percent.

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In January 2002, EnPro was incorporated as a subsidiary of Goodrich in anticipation of the spinoff of the Engineered Industrial Products division to Goodrich shareholders. Selected to lead the company was Ernest F. Schaub, a 30-year Goodrich veteran. Schaub, who was appointed as EnPro's president and chief executive officer in May 2002, had spent the previous three years serving as Goodrich's executive vice-president and president and chief operating officer of the company's Engineered Industrial Products division, the former Coltec Industries assets slated to debut as EnPro.

Debut of EnPro: 2002

EnPro began trading on the New York Stock Exchange in June 2002, an occasion heralded by Schaub in a statement published in the June 3, 2002, issue of *Business Wire*. "Today is a banner day for EnPro," Schaub announced. "We are truly excited to join a respected list of publicly traded industrial products companies, and to have the opportunity to succeed as a more tightly focused and flexible company that is prepared to respond to the changing demands of our markets."

Schaub took charge of a company that at its birth had revenues of roughly \$700 million and employed 4,400 workers at 33 manufacturing facilities in nine countries. EnPro's operations included names well known to its clientele, including Garlock Sealing Technologies, Glacier Garlock Bearings, Fairbanks Morse Engines, Quincy Compressor, and Stemco. Its products--gaskets, metal polymer bearings, compressor systems, engines, and other engineered products--played a vital role in industrial applications. The one glaring weakness of the newly independent company was its exposure to asbestos lawsuits stemming from Garlock Sealing Technologies' use of asbestos in its products until 2001. The company was confident it could avoid any major repercussions, however. It noted that the gaskets containing asbestos were encapsulated and were primarily purchased by the U.S. Navy and large petrochemical companies, customers who understood the risks involved.

Promising First Years

EnPro's first years in business produced encouraging results. After a shaky start (the company lost \$3 million in 2002) Schaub could greet shareholders with positive news. EnPro posted \$33.2 million in net income in 2003, recorded five victories in six asbestos lawsuits, and, most heartening to shareholders, registered a massive 250 percent increase in its stock value. Financial growth during the next two years was impressive as well, lifting net income to \$58.6 million and revenues to \$838 million by the end of 2005.

As EnPro prepared for the future, it relished its newfound independence. With Schaub at the helm, the company was looking to expand its business in the three operating segments composing its operations: engineered products, sealing products, and engine products and services. Part of the company's expansion plans hinged on completing acquisitions. In 2006, EnPro purchased Amicon Plastics Inc., a Houston, Texas-based producer of fluoropolymer and engineered plastic components for semiconductor, pump and valve, and oilfield customers. In 2008, the company completed another purchase, acquiring the assets of Sinfex Sealing Technologies, a distributor and manufacturer of industrial sealing products located in Shanghai, China. In the years ahead, further deals were expected as EnPro searched worldwide for opportunities to expand its business.

Principal Subsidiaries

EnPro Industries Int'l Trading (Shanghai) Co. Ltd. (China); Kunshan Q-Tech Air System Technologies Ltd. (China); Coltec Industries Inc.; Coltec do Brasil Produtos Industriais Ltda. (Brazil; 89%); Coltec Finance Company Limited (U.K.); Coltec Industrial Products LLC; Coltec Industries France SAS (25%); Coltec Industries Pacific Pte. Ltd. (Singapore); Coltec International Services Co.; Coltec Productos y Servicios S.A. (Mexico; 25%); Stempro de Mexico S. de R.L. de C.V. (25%); Compressor Products Holdings, Inc.; Corrosion Control Corporation; GGB LLC; Garlock (Great Britain) Limited (U.K.); Garlock Korea, Inc. (89%); Garlock Sealing Technologies LLC; Garrison Litigation Management Group, Ltd. (92.3%); GGB Brasil Industria de Mancaia E Componentes Ltda. (Brazil); GGB, Inc.; HTC1 Inc.; Holley Automotive Systems GmbH (Germany); QFM Sales and Services, Inc.; Stemco Holdings, Inc.

Principal Divisions

Engineered Products; Sealing Products; Engine Products and Services.

Principal Competitors

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Public Company

Incorporated: November 11, 1911 as Pennsylvania Coal & Coke Corp.

Employees: 19,700

Sales: \$1.616 billion

Market value: \$405 million

Stock Index: New York

Widely known for its firearms, Colt Industries is more than a gun company. With 78 manufacturing plants in 25 states and several foreign countries, Colt is a broadly diversified, billion dollar conglomerate.

It didn't always look like Colt would be around long enough to expand into other businesses. The company was incorporated in 1954 as Penn-Texas Corp., the plaything of Leopold Silberstein. It was among the first of the conglomerates, growing entirely through acquisitions. The company staggered, however, and five years later the company was renamed Fairbanks Whitney Co. to establish a fresh identity for itself.

What is today Colt Industries was born in 1962. That year George A. Strichman left his middle management job at International Telephone & Telegraph Corp. to become president and chairman of Fairbanks Whitney. Shortly after, he described the company as "a case history in catastrophe." It had been through a decade of mismanagement and wheeler-dealing that ended in a flurry of proxy-fights and multi-million dollar losses. A few months later, Strichman recruited David L. Margolis, who had worked with Strichman at ITT, to be financial vice-president and treasurer.

The company's profile desperately needed to be defined. Its operation ranged from Pennsylvania coal mines and firearms to machine tools and a hodgepodge of other industrial products. To help the company make the transition, the company in 1964 adopted the name Colt Industries.

The new management shied away from making long term goals because Colt dealt mostly in cyclical business. But by narrowing its products and markets, the company registered at impressive rate of earnings growth in its first few years. By 1966 the company had achieved its

second year in the black. Sales rose to \$191 million from \$164 million the previous year, and earnings at \$1.64 per share were almost twice that of a year earlier. Most of those profits came from the manufacture of military products for the Vietnam War. And that result didn't include the \$600,000 earned on \$8 million in sales by the newly acquired Quincy Compressor Co.

But for a capital goods and defense company in the midst of booms in both businesses, these earnings were merely moderate. Colt earned less than 3% on sales at a time when well-run competitors were making 8% to 10% and more; even Colt's creditable return on equity of some 13% the previous year was due in large part to the shrunken book value created by heavy writeoffs in 1962. But, Strichman told the media, the company was capable of paying its bills without relying on outside cash.

With the war boosting the company's market, Colt achieved an earnings peak in 1968, which it would not surpass for another eight years. It acquired Crucible Steel, which helped reduce Colt's reliance on military business, but its large industrial group was actually operating at a loss during much of this period. By also buying Holley Carburetor and Central Transformer that year, the company managed to gain significant market shares in such product lines as fluid controls, automotive carburetors, aircraft fuel systems, and some types of water and sewage pumps. Those acquisitions enabled Colt to move forward while reducing its dependence on steel products.

In 1972 earnings appeared to be on an upward trend throughout much of the company's 19 divisions, which were broadly grouped into four categories. The largest unit, Materials, a producer of stainless steel and high alloy steel, accounted for about 42% of Colt's sales and more than 65% of its profits. Demand at Crucible Steel was strong in all markets. Fluid Control Systems brought in 18% of the company's volume and profits. That group was made up of Holley Carburetor, the largest independent manufacturer in its field, and Chandler Evans, which produced aircraft fuel controls, pumps, and valves.

But not all of the Colt's divisions were as healthy. The Industrial and Power Group, comprised of Central Moloney Transformer, Pratt & Whitney Tools, Fairbanks Morse Weighing Systems, and Quincy Compressors, accounted for 31% of Colt's sales that year but racked up a loss of close to \$7 million. And the Firearm Division, which produces M16's, police revolvers, and sporting arms, represented 9% of the company's overall total and 15% of profits.

Colt weathered the 1973-77 recession era, doubling its sales to \$1.5 billion and quadrupling its earnings to \$69.6 million. It had achieved that growth despite often sluggish markets for its specialty steel, machine tools, firearms, and numerous industrial products. Much of the success rested with Strichman, who didn't hesitate to prune products that did not live up to their promise in profits, including large power generators, electric motors, piston engines, pumps, and compressors, among others.

In 1977 Colt came under scrutiny by the Justice Department. A broad-scale grand jury investigation looked into illegal arms and ammunition sales to South Africa by Colt and the Winchester Group of the Olin Corporation. Both companies conceded that they had illegally shipped arms via third parties to South Africa, which was under an arms embargo because of its apartheid policy. The companies fired several employees who were said to have conducted the sales in violation of corporate policy and without knowledge of senior officials.

Colt had adopted a more cautious attitude in recent years. For the five years preceding 1978, it had made no major acquisitions. And Strichman conceded to *Business Week* that he was paying little attention to outside opportunities. As he saw it, either asking prices were too high or built-in problems were too great. "We spent a generation cleaning up our problems. We're not going to pay a premium to buy somebody else's," he told the magazine.

But if Colt was being more conservative about buying new companies, that didn't stop it from playing the market with the companies it had. This prompted *Business Week* to observe that Colt moves "in and out of product lines so often that the company sometimes seems to be run like a floating crap game." That year Colt phased out several models of commercial firearms—the company name derived from its venerable Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing unit. At the same time it was trying to absorb Menasco Manufacturing Co., an aircraft landing gear producer acquired the previous year. By entering industries that cycled at various times, Colt buffered its position against economic downturns. The automotive caburetor business, for instance, is affected by new car sales, but also has a flourishing replacement market to fill the gap when new car sales drop. Sales of Colt's electrical distribution transformers depend largely on the rate of residential and light construction, where market trends do not necessarily coincide with capital spending by such industries as paper, petroleum, and chemicals. The last is Colt's primary customer for alloy tubing and pipe products.

And it was clear that the company's efforts to replace or scrap unprofitable markets or products was beginning to pay off. Fairbanks Morse had established itself as one of the leaders in the highly competitive market of medium-speed diesel engines used by utility and industrial plants. It had attained that position despite competition from at least five other companies, and its dollar volume and backlog were up from one year before. Quincy, an important manufacturer of small air compressors, was competing mainly against Sullair for the bulk of its business. Quincy's orders were also increasing steadily, and its backlog shot up three times from the previous year.

Indeed, Colt's fast-moving strategy was essential if it hoped to cope with the sharp ups and downs that had proven chaotic for many capital goods companies and thwarted their attempt to do long-range planning. Colt wisely chose to enter only industries that rarely cycled together, and by retaining only those companies that come through cycles at higher profit levels than before. And the company was also careful not to expand cyclical operations when they were on the upswing in order to avoid costly excess capacities and inventories on the downswing. This strategy enabled the company to perform successfully, despite a slowing capital goods spending.

Colt doubled its sales over the previous five years to \$1.7 billion, while its net income grew in that period to \$80 million from only \$16.3 million.

Many of the company's divisions were in excellent shape. In 1978 Colt's steel business was doing relatively well, producing \$650 million in sales and operating profits of \$50 million. Sales for the company's industrial and power equipment division exceeded \$500 million, while operating profits reached \$50 million. Fluid control sales rose to more than \$280 million with operating profits over \$40 million, making this the most profitable segment of Colt's business. Even the recently acquired Garlock industrial seal business had \$230 million in sales with operating profits of \$30 million.

As usual, though, not all of Colt's divisions were doing well. Trent Tube, the world's largest producer of welded stainless steel tubing, had an estimated \$125 million in sales and \$14 million profits. Business had been badly hurt by imports and increasing domestic competition. And Colt firearms, the principal manufacturer of the M16, had been experiencing a downtrend in sales and earnings since 1977 when all production for the U.S. government ended. Exports could have made up the difference, but government approval for export was increasingly difficult to obtain.

In 1981 Penn Central's upper management made an unsuccessful bid to buy Colt Industries. Penn, which had just emerged from a large reorganization as a strong, diversified company, offered \$1.4 billion. But a group of Penn's large shareholders owning 22% of the firm's stock balked at the deal, believing it was \$400 million too high. Shareholders critical of the proposed deal mounted a \$1 million campaign to persuade small stockholders, who would have a large combined vote, to veto the projects. Management barely reacted to the opposition. In the final vote, the deal was sunk by a small margin.

In 1982 Colt announced it would close its big Crucible Stainless & Alloy Division, which represented nearly 25% of the company's sales. That move put 4,500 workers at the Midland, Pennsylvania, plant out of work. Colt had been plagued by the specialty steelmaking division's drain on cash. The year earlier Colt completed a \$100 million program to install two new steelmaking furnaces at Midland and to make other improvements. Colt, which made \$109.5 million overall on sales of \$2.2 billion in 1981, said the division was suffering from substantial losses (\$61.8 million) on sales of \$500 million. Wall Street analysts heartily approved of Colt's move to either sell or close down the plant.

With Crucible out of the way, the financial outlook for the rest of the company was improved. The company took advantage of its somewhat stronger financial position to buy back 4.7 million shares at a premium rate of \$24 a share, about 20% over book value.

In 1985 Colt unloaded another unit, this time Fairbanks Morse Pump Division. A Kansas City-based investor group bought all of the company's assets, including the exclusive use of the trade name Fairbanks Morse which dates back to 1880.

Predicting the outlook for Colt, a company that has never liked long-range planning, is difficult. But one former executive told *Business Week*, "Colt figures the opportunities for exceptional growth in the 1980's are limited." Just as closing plant (part of a major division) and selling a division cut off opportunities, stock buybacks have never been a way to make a business grow.

Principal Subsidiaries

Central Moloney Inc.; Colt Industries Operating Corp.; Delavan Inc.; Garlock Inc.; Stemco Inc.; Menasco Inc. The company also lists subsidiaries in the following countries: Canada, France, Panama, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and West Germany.

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Pursuant to the relinquishment of your assignment of A & E Claim #3 of Paul Huskie's Mining Permit #97 and the concurrence thereto by Paul Huskie on October 10, 1955, you are hereby advised that said assignment is terminated and cancelled as of this date.

Your surety bond dated February 2, 1954, in the amount of \$2,000.00 with American Employers' Insurance Company, Boston, Massachusetts, as surety, is also terminated as to any liabilities subsequent to this date.

Yours very truly,

/s/ SCOTT PRESTON

ACTING Chairman, Navajo Tribal Council

CANCELLED: OCT 10 1955

WILLIAM E. RICE
Area Director

cc: U.S. Geological Survey, Carlsbad, New Mexico
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TO : Assistant Area Director, Resources

DATE: May 9, 1956

FROM : Branch of Realty, Navajo Agency

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SUBJECT: Cancellation of Assignments of Tribal Mining Permits #97 and 98.

There are enclosed, two (2) assignments of mining permits to A & B Mining Corporation and the surety bonds, which you returned to this office with your memorandum of May 4, 1956. A

According to your memorandum of May 4, 1956, no action was taken to terminate the assignments since the assignments covered additional claims. The assignment of Claim #2 of Mining Permit #98 was cancelled on March 22, 1955, on the request of A & B Mining Corporation and the assignor. Evidence of the request for termination and approval of the cancellation of the assignment on Claim #2 are attached hereto.

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The assignment of A & B Mining Claim #7 of Paul Huskie's Mining Permit #97 to A & B Mining Corporation was cancelled on March 22, 1955, upon the joint request of A & B Mining Corporation and the assignors. Copies of the request for termination of assignment of A & B Claim #7 under Mining Permit #97 and the approval of the cancellation by the Chairman, Navajo Tribal Council and the Area Director, is also attached hereto.

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Pursuant to the relinquishment of your assignment of A & B Claim #5 of Harry Walker's Mining Permit #98, you are hereby advised that said assignment is terminated and cancelled as of this date.

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Yours very truly,

ACTING Chairman, Navajo Tribal Council

Area Director

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TO Area Director

DATE: August 2, 1957

FROM Branch of Realty, Navajo Agency

SUBJECT: Cancellation of assignment of Mining Permit No. 98

This will advise that the assignee, Utco Uranium Corporation, has paid the required cancellation fee of \$1.00 and requested cancellation of this assignment on July 1, 1957, but they have been unable to locate their copy of this assignment.

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**GEOLOGY AND PRODUCTION HISTORY
OF THE URANIUM ORE DEPOSITS IN
THE CAMERON AREA, COCONINO
COUNTY, ARIZONA**

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Geology and Production History of the Uranium Ore Deposits in the Cameron Area, Coconino County, Arizona

ABSTRACT

Uranium ore deposits in the Cameron area have been mined from sandstone lenses in the Shinarump and Petrified Forest Members of the Upper Triassic Chinle Formation and in the Lower Jurassic Kayenta Formation. Uranium was also produced from a breccia pipe in the Lower Triassic Moenkopi Formation. Most of the ore was mined from carbonaceous sandstones in the lower part of the Petrified Forest Member. The deposits were oxidized and mineralogically complex.

Uranium was first reported in the Cameron area in 1950 in the Kayenta Formation on Ward Terrace. As a result of this discovery, the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) employed Navajos to prospect the entire area. The first discovery of commercial importance was made in June 1952 by Charles (Charlie) Huskon, an AEC prospector, in the Petrified Forest Member of the Chinle Formation. Surface prospecting supplemented by airborne radiometric surveying led to the discovery of additional orebodies in 1953, including a few in the Shinarump Member. As the area was developed, many deposits having no surface expression were located by shallow exploration drilling.

Production in the Cameron area began in August 1951 from the Kayenta Formation on the Hosteen Nez property. Production reached a peak in 1956 and gradually declined until the latest shipment, which was recorded in January 1963. During that period, a total of 289,247.96 tons of ore, averaging 0.21 percent U_3O_8 , and containing 1,211,812.48 pounds of U_3O_8 , was produced from 100 separate properties. The ore was mined in open pits, which ranged in size from a small shallow trench containing a single mineralized fossil log to a large pit complex 2,400 feet long and 250 feet wide. Underground mining of the pit walls was commonly practiced to recover additional ore. Four vertical shafts were also mined in the area.

INTRODUCTION

The Cameron uranium-mining area is centered around the settlement of Cameron, Arizona, which is 52 miles north of Flagstaff (Figure 1). This area contains numerous uranium ore deposits in the Upper Triassic Chinle Formation. Cameron is the fourth largest area on the Colorado Plateau that produced uranium from this geologic unit. The largest area is the Lisbon Valley in Utah, followed by the greater White Canyon and San Rafael Swell areas in Utah (Chenoweth and McLemore, 1989). Two other geologic units in the Cameron area also produced ore: the Lower Jurassic Kayenta Formation and a breccia pipe in the Lower Triassic Moenkopi Formation (Table 1).

This report is the result of the author's field work in the Cameron area during the late 1950's and early 1960's for the AEC. The Navajo Tribal Mining Department in Window Rock, Arizona, provided information on the Navajo Tribal Mining Permits (MP's) to the AEC Flagstaff Field Office.

LOCATION

The main mining area forms a curved belt that is approximately 2 miles wide in a 6-mile stretch north of Cameron along U.S. Highway 89 and 5 miles wide in an 18-mile stretch southeast of Cameron along the Little Colorado River (Plate 1). A few small properties, however, are as far north as Bitter Springs, as far south as the Grand Falls of the Little Colorado River, and as far east as Ward Terrace (Figure 1).

Unimproved dirt roads that leave U.S. Highway 89 provided access to the mines. The principal access road follows the east bank of the Little Colorado River south from Cameron. Another access road, which is graded, leaves U.S. Highway 89 6 miles south of Cameron and heads southeast to a large sand and gravel pit, which lies northeast of Black Point (Plate 1).

LAND STATUS

All but nine properties¹ in the Cameron area are on the Navajo Indian Reservation (Plate 1). Within the reservation, mining permits were issued by the Navajo Tribal Council and approved by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), U.S. Department of the Interior. Permits could be obtained by individual Navajos only. Permit holders, however, could assign the mining rights to another individual or a company; like the permits, these assignments had to be approved by the Tribal Council and the BIA. Mining permits were issued for 2-year terms but could be renewed for an additional 2-year period. The tribe also issued drilling and exploration permits. These permits were good for 120 days and were not renewable.

The BIA encouraged operators to convert their mining assignments to 10-year leases once large amounts of ore had been developed. Many of Charlie Huskon's properties and all of the Ramco properties were converted to leases in the mid-1950's. Leases could be issued directly by the BIA. No more than 960 acres of tribal land could be held by any one company or individual. For companies with a mill on the reservation, the 960-acre limitation was waived.

Both the permittee and the tribe received royalties from ore production. Based on the mine value of the ore, the tribe received between 10-percent and 20-percent royalties and the permittee between 2-percent and 5-percent royalties.

In the Cameron area, the name of a mine on the Navajo Indian Reservation was usually the name of the individual who held the mining permit. Exceptions to this practice are listed in Table 2.

South of the reservation and west of the Little Colorado River, every odd-numbered section was owned by the C O Bar Livestock Company of Flagstaff. With the exception of sections 2, 16, 32, and 36, which are State-owned land, the remaining even-numbered sections are federally owned. Many of the even-numbered sections adjacent to the Little Colorado River were subject to a Federal powersite withdrawal and were closed to claim staking. These lands were restored to the public domain and thus opened to claim staking in April 1957.

PREVIOUS STUDIES

The uranium deposits in the Cameron area were described by Bollin and Kerr (1958), the AEC (1959a), and Chenoweth (in Akers and others, 1962). Hinkley (1957) described the Charles Huskon No. 1 deposits, and Gray (1957) described the deposits on the Liba claims. Chenoweth (1988) described the Riverview breccia pipe, and Scarborough (1981) tabulated information on individual properties. Chenoweth and Magleby (1971) prepared a map showing the location and relative sizes of the deposits, and Austin (1964) described the mineralogy of the deposits.

The geology of the main mining area was mapped by Akers and others (1962) and Billingsley (1987). Plate 1 is Chenoweth and Magleby's (1971) map, which Scarborough (1981, Plate 20) modified to show unmined uranium deposits in the main mining area.

¹ As used in this report, a "property" is an individual mining permit, lease, or group of claims. A mining permit might contain several orebodies and separate open pits, as did Ramco No. 20 (MP-349; Figure 2).

GEOLOGIC SETTING OF THE ORE DEPOSITS

The Cameron area is on the southwest flank of the Black Mesa Basin, where erosion of the Little Colorado River valley has exposed the Chinle Formation in a broad belt approximately parallel to the river. In this area, the Chinle is composed of three members, in ascending order: Shinarump, Petrified Forest, and Owl Rock. The Shinarump Member forms cliffs along the Little Colorado River, and resistant beds of the Owl Rock Member cap Ward Terrace (Plate 1). Between the river and Ward Terrace, the Petrified Forest Member is exposed in an expanse of badlands.

The principal host rocks for the uranium deposits in the Cameron area are fluvial sandstones in the lower part of the Petrified Forest Member. Other deposits have been mined from the upper part of the underlying Shinarump Member. Two deposits in the Kayenta Formation on Ward Terrace have been mined, as was a breccia-pipe deposit in the Moenkopi Formation.

Deposits in the Chinle Formation

The Petrified Forest Member of the Chinle Formation contained most of the uranium deposits in the Cameron area. The member is composed of multicolored claystone and siltstone with some light-gray, fine- to coarse-grained sandstone, especially in the lower part of the member. The Petrified Forest Member erodes into badlands and has brilliant variegated colors typical of the Painted Desert. In the Cameron area, the member is up to 900 feet thick.

Ore bodies were present at the surface down to a depth of 130 feet. As many as three ore zones were within 100 feet of section. Ore bodies ranged in size from a single mineralized fossil log to the Jack Daniels ore body (Plate 1, No. 24), the largest known in the area. This latter deposit was a nearly continuous body, 450 feet by 300 feet, and contained 178,059 pounds of U_3O_8 . By comparison, the second largest deposit was the Charles Huskon No. 4 - Paul Huskie No. 3 (Plate 1, Nos. 97 and 98): 135,616 pounds of U_3O_8 was produced from a cluster of ore pods within an area 1,000 feet by 550 feet. The most productive area lies east of Cameron, where 10 properties within 1 square mile were the source of 264,100 pounds, or 22 percent of the total production from the Cameron area.

The ore consisted of elongated, lenticular deposits within poorly consolidated, cross-stratified, fine- to medium-grained sandstone, clay-pellet sandstone, and clay-pellet conglomerate that contain varying amounts of carbonaceous matter, including carbonaceous fossil logs. The sandstone lenses were deposited in irregular depressions cut into bentonitic claystones and mudstones and are probably ancient fluvial channel fills. The sandstone lenses are up to 6 feet thick and are not continuous, although individual lenses have been traced for more than 1 mile. Secondary uranium minerals fill pore spaces in the sandstone, and uraniferous fossil logs are locally present. The ore was concentrated in abrupt depressions along channels or at changes in channel direction and favored the more carbonaceous layers. The highest grade ore was associated with fossil logs. Most ore bodies were elongated parallel to the channel trends, but some were oriented nearly perpendicular to these trends. Each ore body was encased in an alteration halo consisting of bleached sandstone and mudstone. The most visible bleaching effect was a change from gray to locally red to yellowish or buff. Ore bodies and haloes abruptly terminated downward against impervious mudstone.

With the exception of the Evans Huskon No. 34 and Charles Huskon No. 20 mines (Plate 1, Nos. 21 and 22), all of the deposits in the Petrified Forest Member were within the lower 150 feet of the member. The other two deposits were associated with uraniferous fossil logs in the upper part of the member.

Seventy properties in the Petrified Forest Member yielded 278,616.46 tons of ore that averaged 0.21 percent U_3O_8 and contained 1,186,889.66 pounds of U_3O_8 (Table 1). This amounts to 98 percent of the total uranium produced in the area.

The Shinarump Member of the Chinle Formation rests unconformably on the Middle Triassic Moenkopi Formation. In the Cameron area, the Shinarump Member is composed of yellowish-gray to pale-red, medium- to coarse-grained, crossbedded, fluvial sandstone and conglomerate with some interbedded, greenish-gray and pale-red mudstone lenses. In the upper part of the member, the sandstones are thin bedded and are mottled pale red to light gray. The Shinarump Member is up to 100 feet thick in the Cameron area. Billingsley (1987) included in the Petrified Forest Member some of the beds that Akers and others (1962) and Haines and Bowles (1976) previously mapped as Shinarump Member. The Shinarump - Petrified Forest contact shown on Plate 1 was based on the earlier mapping.

Twenty-seven properties in the Cameron area were within the Shinarump Member. The host rocks for these deposits were carbonaceous, thin-bedded, cross-stratified, medium- to fine-grained sandstones in the upper 30 feet of the member. Uranium-bearing fossil logs were common in the orebodies. Deposits in the Shinarump Member were similar to those in the Petrified Forest Member, but were smaller.

The largest deposit in the Shinarump Member was the Charles Huskon No. 26 - Charles Huskon No. 11 (Plate 1, Nos. 65 and 66), from which 6,561.41 pounds of U_3O_8 was produced. Total production from the Shinarump Member was 9,941.05 tons of ore, which averaged 0.10 percent U_3O_8 and contained 20,535.00 pounds of U_3O_8 .

A characteristic feature of the Chinle uranium ores at Cameron was their complex mineralogy. Uraninite was present in the unoxidized zone, as well as the oxidized zone in and near unoxidized logs in association with pyrite and marcasite. Oxidation produced a complex suite of uranium oxides, sulfates, silicates, phosphates, carbonates, molybdates, and rare vanadates (Austin, 1964). The ore was also rich in cobalt. A sample that Karen J. Wenrich (U.S. Geological Survey [USGS]) collected from the Charles Huskon No. 1 (Plate 1, No. 29) dump contained pink, platy, and fibrous crusts of moorhouseite ($[Co, Ni, Mn^{+2}] SO_4 \cdot 6H_2O$) and a cobalt-pickeringite ($[Co, Mg, Al_2] [SO_4]_4 \cdot 22H_2O$). The sample also contained alunogen ($Al_2 [SO_4]_3 \cdot 17H_2O$; Wenrich and others, 1989). The yellowish-gray alteration associated with all deposits at or near the surface was used as a prospecting guide and was chiefly due to oxidation products of sulfides (Austin (1964), although some bleaching (reduction of the ferric iron) of the mudstones and siltstones also occurred.

Deposits in the Kayenta Formation

The Lower Jurassic Kayenta Formation is exposed at the foot of the Adeii Eechii Cliffs, which form the west escarpment of the Moenkopi Plateau (Figure 1). The formation is composed of pale-red fluvial siltstone, fine-grained silty sandstone, and interbedded purplish-red shale and is about 650 feet thick in the Cameron area. A 150-foot-thick zone at the top of the formation contains tongues of the overlying Navajo Sandstone. The Moenave Formation and Wingate Sandstone, in descending order, underlie the Kayenta Formation and separate it from the Chinle Formation.

Two areas in the Kayenta Formation have been mined: the Yellow Jeep claims, 14 miles east-southeast of Cameron, and the Hosteen Nez claim, 18 miles southeast of Cameron. These deposits were in limy, fine-grained sandstone lenses in the middle part of the formation. A yellow uranium mineral, probably tyuyamunite ($Ca [UO_2]_2 V_2O_6 \cdot 5-8H_2O$), was disseminated throughout the sandstone in association with fossil logs. Total production from the two areas was 182.04 tons with an average grade of 0.15 percent U_3O_8 (Table 1).

Deposit in a Collapse-Breccia Pipe

The Riverview mine (Plate 1, No. 93) was developed in a collapse-breccia pipe south of Black Point in T. 26 N., R. 10 E., sec. 8. The pipe is collared in the Wupatki Member of the Moenkopi Formation. The deposit was discovered when prospectors noted the presence of large mineralized blocks

of sandstone, many standing vertically, which seemed to fill a "sinkhole" in the Wupatki Member 45 feet above the base of the member. These blocks appear to be lithologically similar to sandstone in the upper part of the Shinarump Member of the Chinle Formation. The pipe contact at the surface is irregular in shape and measures 135 feet in its maximum north-south dimension and 95 feet in its east-west dimension. Mining at the surface stripped as much as 25 feet of the upper part of the pipe. A shaft was sunk to a depth of 125 feet within the pipe near its south margin on a strong northwest shear.

The blocks of the upper(?) part of the Shinarump Member, which originally capped the pipe, indicate that the pipe was higher than its present elevation of about 4,505 feet. If one assumes a thickness of 365 feet for the Moenkopi Formation and 80 feet for the Shinarump Member, the blocks have been displaced downward about 360 feet from their initial stratigraphic position.

The core of the pipe is irregular in shape and consists of blocks of arkosic, coarse- to very coarse-grained sandstone and conglomerate of the Shinarump Member and sandstone and siltstone of the Moenkopi Formation. A concentric ring of collapsed greenish-gray and reddish-brown siltstone and mudstone of the Moenkopi Formation encircles the core. At the east margin of the pipe, the mudstone is stained with manganese.

Uranium minerals reported from the Riverview mine include uranophane and sporadic grains of carnotite and metatorbernite, as well as minute grains of uraninite in the lower parts of the mine (Chenoweth, 1988). L.E. Evans (in Chenoweth, 1988) reported that the uranophane, carnotite, and malachite were associated with clay, calcite, and iron oxide that cemented a fine-grained quartz sandstone. Some azurite was present in subgrade ore material on the property. More copper was present in this deposit than in other uranium deposits in the Cameron area.

MINING METHODS

Most of the mining was by open pits, which ranged in size from a shallow trench containing a single fossil log to pits as deep as 130 feet. On the Ramco Nos. 20 and 22 and Ryan No. 2 properties (Plate 1, Nos. 74, 73, and 75), a large pit complex was developed that was 2,400 feet long, an average of 250 feet wide, and an average of 70 feet deep (Figure 2). Operators found it uneconomic to exceed a stripping ratio of 13 feet of waste to 1 foot of ore in the Cameron deposits. A contractor stripped away the overburden with bottom scrapers. In 1959 stripping costs were about \$0.30 per cubic yard.

Three mines in the Petrified Forest Member (Plate 1, Nos. 32, 45, and 92) and one in the breccia pipe (Plate 1, No. 93) were serviced by vertical shafts. These deposits were too small to be stripped economically. In several pits, ore outside the pit outline was mined underground by modified room-and-pillar methods from adits in the pit walls (Figure 3). Ore grade was controlled by Geiger-counter testing because the ore could not be readily distinguished by eye. By careful blending, most operators tried to maintain their shipping grade at 0.20 percent U_3O_8 . Shipman (1957) described the exploration and mining methods used at Cameron, and the AEC (1956b) described the operations at 40 of the active mines.

PRODUCTION HISTORY

Early Activities, 1950-55

In the summer of 1950, Hosteen Nez, a Navajo, found an outcrop containing yellow-colored material on the Ward Terrace at the foot of the Moenkopi Plateau. He took samples to the Lorenzo Hubbell Trading Post in Winslow, Arizona. Roman Hubbell sent a sample to the AEC, which confirmed that it contained uranium and vanadium.

The remote locality where the material was found was examined by Harry C. Granger of the USGS and John W. King of the AEC in March 1951. Hubbell formed the Hosteen Nez Mining Company

and bulldozed a trail from the top of the Moenkopi Plateau down through the Adeii Eechii Cliffs to reach the deposit. The Hosteen Nez Mining Company shipped 1.05 tons of ore to the AEC's ore-buying station at Monticello, Utah, in August 1951. This shipment averaged 0.41 percent U_3O_8 , 0.23 percent V_2O_5 , and 9.00 percent $CaCO_3$ (Table 3). On January 14, 1952, Philip C. Ellsworth of the AEC examined the prospect and sampled the mineralized exposures (Ellsworth, 1952). He determined the host rock to be a limy siltstone in the Kayenta Formation. The location was determined to be approximately 18 miles southeast of Cameron. The site was later determined to be SW $\frac{1}{4}$, sec. 33, T. 27 N., R. 12 E., projected.

On February 11, 1952, an additional 5.35 tons of ore averaging 0.29 percent U_3O_8 and 0.20 percent V_2O_5 was delivered to the Monticello station. On March 24 and 31, 11.52 tons averaging 0.11 percent U_3O_8 and 0.19 percent V_2O_5 was delivered to the AEC's newly opened ore-buying station at Shiprock, New Mexico. Due to the high lime ($CaCO_3$) content of the shipments, no payment was made for the vanadium. (At AEC ore-buying stations, vanadium in carnotite-type ore was purchased for \$0.31 per pound, but with some limitations.)

During the early 1950's, the AEC employed Navajos as prospectors. At least 20 men in all parts of the Navajo Indian Reservation were put on the payroll of the Walker-Lybarger Construction Company, the prime contractor to the AEC's Grand Junction office. These prospectors were given Geiger counters and told to look for the "yellow rocks." They were contacted every 2 weeks by AEC field representatives Jack Leonard and Winston Marks. Both of these men had grown up in the Farmington, New Mexico, area and could speak fluent Navajo.

Charlie Huskon was employed to prospect the Cameron area. He was supervised by Leonard, who was known to the Navajos as "Loose Ears" because of the way he could wiggle his ears, to the delight of the Indian children. On June 26, 1952, Charlie Huskon and his son Evans showed AEC geologist Jack Chester and Leonard the uranium-bearing outcrops in the Chinle Formation about 1 mile east of the bridge over the Little Colorado River at Cameron (Chester and Leonard, 1952a). This deposit would later become the Charles Huskon No. 1 mine (Plate 1, No. 29). On that same day, the two Navajos also showed Chester and Leonard another uranium-bearing outcrop in the Chinle Formation 6 miles southeast of Cameron (Chester and Leonard, 1952b). This exposure would later become the Paul Huskie No. 20 mine (Plate 1, No. 52). During this visit to the Cameron area, another Navajo prospector, Chee Paddock, showed Chester and Leonard some uranium-bearing fossil logs in the Chinle Formation, about 17 miles by road southeast of Cameron (Chester and Leonard, 1952c). It is probable that this deposit was later named the Evans Huskon No. 35 mine (Plate 1, No. 60).

Charlie Huskon applied to the Navajo Tribal Mining Department for a mining permit on June 29, 1952, and contacted the Arrowhead Uranium Company of Grand Junction, Colorado, which was exploring for uranium in the Monument Valley area. He quit Walker-Lybarger in July 1952 and began to prospect for Arrowhead. The company also conducted aerial radiometric surveys in the Cameron area using a Piper Cub airplane and a handheld Halross scintillation counter. This ground-air reconnaissance was very successful, and many uranium-bearing outcrops in the Chinle Formation were discovered. Leonard (1952) noted that Charlie Huskon was very successful at finding uranium-bearing outcrops because he recognized the relationship between yellow-colored alteration in the Chinle sediments and uranium minerals.

On August 6, 1952, Charlie Huskon was issued Mining Permit (MP) No. 46 for the Charles Huskon No. 1 deposit. MP-64 covering the No. 2 property was issued to Evans Huskon on September 26, 1952. MP-65 covering the Charles Huskon Nos. 3 through 8 was issued to Charlie on the same day. Charlie and Evans signed operating agreements with Arrowhead on September 29, 1952. Arrowhead commenced mining at the Charles Huskon No. 1 property and delivered 8.21 tons of ore averaging 0.18 percent U_3O_8 and 0.15 percent V_2O_5 to the AEC's ore-buying station at Bluewater, New Mexico, on October 16, 1952.

Between late December 1952 and March 2, 1953, the AEC made a systematic aerial radiometric survey of the Cameron area covering all exposures of the Chinle Formation. A total of 43 radiometric anomalies were detected (Williams and Barrett, 1953).

During 1953, Arrowhead continued to develop ore on the Huskon properties. MP-76 for the Charles Huskon Nos. 9, 10, and 11 properties was issued to Charlie on April 8, 1953, and an operating agreement was signed with Arrowhead on April 24. Shipments to the Bluewater ore-buying station were made from Nos. 1 through 8 and No. 10 (Table 4). The ore was trucked to a railhead at Flagstaff and then shipped by the Atkinson Topeka and Santa Fe Railway to a siding near Bluewater, where the ore was transferred to trucks for the short haul to the buying station. Shipments in 1953 totalled 8,104.54 tons of ore, which averaged 0.26 percent U_3O_8 and 0.08 percent V_2O_5 (Table 3).

Arrowhead's activities created much interest in the Cameron area. Other Navajos who found uranium deposits and applied for mining permits were Paul Huskie (another son of Charlie), Harry Walker, Earl Huskon, Ancil Thomas, and Taylor Reid.

The AEC rim stripped and trenched 15 deposits in the Cameron area between January 19 and February 3, 1954 (Hinkley, 1955). This was done to expose the dimensions of the orebodies for ore-reserve estimates and geologic studies. A total of 45,000 lineal feet of trenching and stripping was done, exposing 1,500 tons of ore (Hinkley, 1955).

During 1954, six operators besides Arrowhead began shipping ore from the Cameron area (Table 4). Arrowhead developed enough ore on its holdings to get a commitment from the AEC for a contract to sell concentrates from a proposed processing mill. After Arrowhead received this commitment, the Navajo Tribe lifted its 960-acre limit on property held by one company or individual. Arrowhead increased its holdings to several thousand acres, including the Charles Huskon Nos. 12 through 17 properties. Production in 1954 from the Cameron area totalled 11,366.50 tons of ore, which averaged 0.23 percent U_3O_8 and 0.08 percent V_2O_5 (Table 3). Of this amount, 8,133.97 tons was produced by Arrowhead from the Charles Huskon Nos. 1 through 4, 9 through 11, and 17 properties.²

Arrowhead's increasing activities caused many companies and individuals to prospect in the Cameron area. Dozens of drilling permits were issued. The resulting discoveries meant that mining permits were issued to Navajos, who assigned them to operators. Navajos with important discoveries included William Robbins, Max Johnson, Max Huskon, and Lemuel Littleman. Claims were also staked on Federal land south of the reservation, on the west side of the Little Colorado River. The odd-numbered sections in that area were leased from the C O Bar Livestock Company.

Arrowhead's holdings were acquired by the Rare Metals Corporation of America of Salt Lake City, Utah, in December 1954 (G.E. Morehouse, oral commun., 1991). The BIA approved this transaction in February 1955.

Exploration and development drilling in the Cameron area increased during 1955 as operators were waiting for the AEC to establish an ore-buying station in the area. Foley Brothers drilled in the area between Tohachi and Nahakaad Washes and located the orebodies known as the Yazzie Nos. 1 and 2, covered by Maxwell Yazzie's MP-261 (Plate 1, Nos. 79 and 80). Foley Brothers also made a discovery near the Evans Huskon No. 2 mine, on Maxwell Yazzie's MP-312. This deposit was originally named the Foley No. 5 mine but was later changed to the Yazzie No. 312 mine (Table 5; Plate 1, No. 37). Chesser and Company also made a discovery near Evans Huskon No. 2, which was called Yazzie No. 101 (Plate 1, No. 36) and was covered by George D. Yazzie's MP-302. Chesser made another discovery north of the Charles Huskon No. 10 mine. This discovery was named Yazzie No. 102 (Plate 1, No. 54) and was covered by George D. Yazzie's MP-311.

Early in 1955, Rare Metals dropped the assignment of the Charles Huskon No. 5 property (a portion of MP-63). The assignment was picked up by B C Associates of Phoenix, Arizona, which shipped 162.72 tons averaging 0.17 percent U_3O_8 early in 1956.

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MP-360 was issued to Denetso on April 10, 1955, for the Jack Daniels No. 1 ore deposit (Table 2; Plate 1, No. 24). This discovery was named for a bourbon bottle found near the surface anomaly, which led to the discovery of the orebody. The anomaly, which lay in cuttings from a powerline pole at Milepost 469 on U.S. Highway 89 north of Cameron, was discovered by two prospectors who were slowly driving down the highway. The assignment of MP-360 to the Marcy Exploration and Mining Company of Durango, Colorado, was approved on November 15, 1955. Drilling and mining showed that the Jack Daniels No. 1 property contained the largest orebody in the Cameron area (Table 5).

On July 15, 1955, Rare Metals signed a contract with the AEC to produce uranium concentrates (yellowcake) from a mill to be built 5 miles northeast of Tuba City, Arizona (Albrethsen and McGinley, 1982). The site was selected because of the availability of ground water from the Navajo Sandstone. Construction of the mill began in August 1955. Exploration by Rare Metals located significant orebodies near the Yazzie Nos. 1 and 2. These deposits would be named the Ramco Nos. 20, 21, and 22 on MP-349, 350, and 351, which were issued to Calvin Semallie, Dan McClellan, and Elvin Gordy, respectively (Table 2; Plate 1, Nos. 74, 72, and 73).

During the summer of 1955, Rare Metals cancelled its assignments to the Charles Huskon Nos. 4 and 9 mines (portions of MP-65 and 76). These assignments were picked up by Utco Uranium Corporation on August 1955. Utco also acquired the assignments of the Charles Huskon Nos. 18, 19, and 20 properties (MP-388, 461, and 465). Exploration by Utco determined that the orebodies on the Charles Huskon No. 4 permit extended off the permit area. The ground surrounding Charles Huskon No. 4 was claimed by Paul Huskie as MP-377 (Paul Huskie No. 3; Plate 1, No. 98), which was issued on November 16, 1955.

Ryan Oil Company located an east extension of the orebody on Ramco No. 22. This ground was claimed by Clay Bigman as MP-410. The orebody, known as Ryan No. 2 (Table 2), was mined by a single large open pit covering the Ramco Nos. 20 and 22 and Ryan No. 2 orebodies (Figure 2). Total production during 1955 was only 1,606.53 tons of ore, which averaged 0.21 percent U_3O_8 (Table 3). Seven companies besides Rare Metals made shipments during the year (Table 4). Several of these operators shipped their ore to the ore-buying station at Monticello.

The Boom Years, 1956-58

The AEC opened an ore-buying station at the mill site on February 1, 1956. Rare Metals built the station and leased it to the AEC (Albrethsen and McGinley, 1982). AEC ore-purchasing schedules provided for payment of uranium and vanadium in carnotite-type ore down to 0.10 percent each of U_3O_8 and V_2O_5 . Because the Cameron ores contained very little vanadium, no payment was received for the vanadium. The ore-buying station, which provided a market for the Cameron ores, greatly stimulated production in the area. Ores that had been stockpiled during 1955 were shipped in 1956. During 1956, uranium ore production from the Cameron area reached an all-time annual high point: 84,799.13 tons of ore averaging 0.21 percent U_3O_8 was produced by 19 companies from 55 properties (Tables 3 and 4).

During February 1956, Rare Metals commenced shipments from the Ramco Nos. 20, 21, and 22 open-pit mines, which had been discovered the previous year. Shipments from the Ryan No. 2 orebody, an east extension of the Ramco No. 22, commenced in the spring of 1956. The east-trending pit on the Ramco Nos. 20 and 22 and Ryan No. 2 was the deepest deposit to be mined to date in the Cameron area. Ore depths ranged from 60 feet on Ramco No. 20 to 97 feet on Ryan No. 2 (Figure 2). Exploration drilling continued throughout the mining area, and many additional discoveries were made. Mining permits were issued to Alyce Tolino, Julius Chee, Elwood Canyon, and Emmett Lee.

The Tuba City mill, owned by Rare Metals, began operating in June 1956. The plant used an acid-leaching process; uranium was recovered through a resin-in-pulp ion-exchange process. The plant had an initial processing capacity of 260 tons of ore per day, which was increased to 300 tons per day

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(Albrethsen and McGinley, 1982). No attempt was made to recover vanadium from the ore. With the mill operating, the AEC turned over the ore buying and sampling to Rare Metals in the fall of 1956. Rare Metals would not accept ores containing less than 0.20 percent U_3O_8 , computed on a monthly average basis per property. Monthly quotas were established to give each independent producer an equal share of the available milling capacity.

During 1956, uranium production commenced at the Black Point-Murphy group of claims northeast of Black Point in T. 27 N., R. 10 E., sec. 22 (Plate 1, No. 88). Terrace gravels of the Little Colorado River overlying the ore deposit proved to be more valuable than the uranium. The property became one of the largest sand and gravel operations in Coconino County, Arizona.

An orebody in the south part of the area under the corner common to Julius Chee No. 2 (MP-315), Emmett Lee No. 1 (MP-445), Julius Chee No. 4 (MP-446), and Julius Chee No. 3, (MP-444) was mined by a single, shallow open pit (Plate 1, No. 94). During 1956, shipments commenced from the Jeepster No. 1 mine on William Robbins MP-347 (Table 2; Plate 1, No. 13).

Two companies made shipments in 1956 from non-Chinle properties. United Exploration Syndicate made a "no-pay" shipment (42.89 tons averaging 0.09 percent U_3O_8) from the inactive Hosteen Nez property in the Kayenta Formation. Utco commenced production from the Riverview breccia pipe in December 1956. Production from this pipe lasted less than a year. Of the total uranium shipped in 1956 (363,508.40 pounds U_3O_8), 35 percent was produced by Rare Metals, 27 percent by Utco, 20 percent by Marcy Exploration and Mining Company (from the Jack Daniels No. 1 mine), and 8 percent by Chesser (Table 4).

Uranium ore production in 1957 declined slightly from the previous year: 78,219.55 tons of ore averaging 0.21 percent U_3O_8 was produced (Table 3). Exploration and development drilling continued to increase to the average rate of 7,500 feet per month (Table 7). Woodson Exploration Company discovered a deep (130-foot) orebody, which it planned to mine as an open pit. The orebody was covered by the Jack Huskon's No. 3 permit (MP-493).

During the year, Utah Southern Oil Company took over the assignments of the Foley Brothers and continued mining at the Yazzie No. 312 mine. Diamond Uranium Company commenced mining at the Lemuel Littleman No. 2 orebody (MP-225), which had been discovered in previous years. Skiles Oil Company sank an 80-foot-deep shaft on the Elwood Canyon No. 2 (MP-421) property and commenced shipments. An orebody in the south part of the area was located on two adjacent permits, Emmett Lee No. 3 (MP-466) and Julia Semallie (MP-479). The ore was mined by a single, shallow open pit (Plate 1, No. 100). Other significant mines commencing shipments in 1957 were the Alyce Tolino Nos. 1 and 3 (MP-412) and Kachina No. 6 (MP-457).

Rare Metals commenced shipments from the Ramco No. 24 open pits on Daniel Webster's MP-464. The ore in the south pit extended to the adjacent Harry Walker No. 16 (MP-443), which was controlled by Utco. In April 1956, Rare Metals made an initial shipment from Charles Huskon No. 11 (MP-76) in the upper part of the Shinarump Member. This was the last of Charlie Huskon's original Arrowhead properties to obtain production. A northeast extension of the ore off the old permit area was acquired by Rare Metals as Charles Huskon No. 26 (MP-427; Plate 1, No. 65). On the same Shinarump channel, 1 mile to the south, Rare Metals leased the E $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 9, T. 27 N., R. 10 E. from the C O Bar Livestock Company and made a small, low-grade shipment (17.95 tons averaging 0.09 percent U_3O_8).

During 1957, Yellow Jeep Mining Company made a shipment from Ben and Pete Semallie's MP-437, which was called Yellow Jeep Nos. 7A and 7B. This property was in the Kayenta Formation, 14 miles southeast of Cameron (Table 6). The location of the small rim-stripped area is approximately SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 10, T. 28 N., R. 11 E., projected. The property was accessed via a road bulldozed up Landmark Wash to the top of Ward Terrace. Utco commenced production from Charles Huskon No. 19 (MP-461), Charles Huskon No. 20 (MP-465), and Evans Huskon No. 34 (MP-489). The latter two properties (Plate 1, Nos. 22 and 21) were in the upper part of the Petrified Forest Member near the foot of Ward Terrace.

→ The uranium content of the ore produced in 1957 was 326,236.75 pounds U_3O_8 (Table 3). Of this amount, Rare Metals produced 52 percent, the Jack Daniels No. 1 mine, 19 percent, and Utco, 14 percent. Rare Metals and Utco operated 16 and 8 separate properties, respectively (Table 4).

Uranium ore production continued to decline in 1958 as the larger orebodies, such as those on Jack Daniels No. 1, Yazzie No. 312, Yazzie No. 101, and Ramco Nos. 20, 21, 22, and 24, were depleted. Production in 1958 was 57,347.84 tons of ore with an average grade of 0.20 percent U_3O_8 (Table 3). Rare Metals stopped analyzing the ore for vanadium on July 1, 1958 (Table 3). Rare Metals produced 53 percent of the uranium that was shipped, Utah Southern Oil Company produced 9 percent, and Steinberger Drilling Company produced 6 percent (Table 4).

During the summer of 1958, production commenced at the Juan Horse No. 3 (MP-502), the Juan Horse No. 4 (MP-497), and the Evans Huskon No. 35 (MP-489) mines. The latter deposit was located in the upper part of the Petrified Forest Member of the Chinle Formation northeast of the Ramco Nos. 20, 21, and 22, and Ryan No. 2 mines (Plate 1). At about the same time, shipments commenced from the Max Johnson No. 9 (MP-498) mine. This orebody was discovered in the area between the Elwood Canyon and Alyce Tolino mines (Plate 1, No. 31). In August, shipments began from the deep Jack Huskon No. 3 pit. Errors in calculating ore grades and thicknesses from the gamma-ray logs greatly overestimated the size and grade of this orebody. The mine closed in slightly more than a year.

C.L. Rankin acquired the former Rare Metals lease on T. 27 N., R. 10 E., sec. 9 from the C O Bar Livestock Company. In the fall of 1958, Rankin shipped 87.21 tons of ore averaging 0.12 percent U_3O_8 from a short decline in the northeast quarter of the section (Plate 1, No. 71). Rankin and W.W. Stevenson, Rankin's attorney, made small shipments from the Navajo No. 26 claim in T. 27 N., R. 10 E., sec. 18 (Plate 1, No. 81). Pleistocene cinder dunes overlie the ore-bearing sandstone in the Petrified Forest Member on the terrace surface of the Little Colorado River at the Navajo No. 26 mine (Chenoweth and Cooley, 1960).

Larger mines from which final shipments were made during 1958 included Jack Daniels No. 1, Charles Huskon No. 7, Ryan No. 2, Julius Chee Nos. 2 and 4, Julia Semallie, Paul Huskie No. 3, and Ramco No. 24. Exploration and development drilling increased to between 12,000 and 13,000 feet per month in 1958 (Table 7). Operators looked for the extensions of known orebodies as well as new orebodies missed by previous drilling.

On November 24, 1958, the AEC announced that after April 1, 1962, it would only purchase uranium concentrate (yellowcake) derived from ores that had been discovered before November 24. The procurement program was curtailed because more uranium had been discovered in the United States, especially in New Mexico and Wyoming, than the agency could buy. Beginning in April 1962, all independent producers would be given an annual allocation (market quota) based on ore reserves discovered before November 24, 1958. Because many operators did not develop large ore reserves before mining them, allocations were also based on historical ore production during the period from July 1, 1956, through June 30, 1960.

As controller of the mineral rights on the Navajo Indian Reservation, the Navajo Tribe applied to the AEC for a blanket allocation for all reservation properties in the Cameron area. The AEC gave the tribe an annual allocation (A-249) to produce up to 177,252 pounds U_3O_8 in ore. It was hoped that this large allocation would prolong mining near Cameron after 1961.

The Final Years, 1959-63

Uranium production from the Cameron area in 1959 declined by nearly 50 percent from the previous year. In 1959, 27,705.79 tons of ore averaging 0.20 percent U_3O_8 was shipped (Table 3). Seventy-three percent of the uranium in the shipments came from the properties controlled by Rare

Metals. An additional 6 percent was shipped by Utah Southern Oil Company and Wells Cargo, Inc. (Table 4).

In April 1959, Rare Metals stopped all mining and turned over its properties to the Cameron Mining Company for cleanup mining on a contract basis. When Rare Metals terminated operations, the firm had produced a total of 116,448.58 tons of ore averaging 0.215 percent U_3O_8 from its Cameron mines (AEC, unpublished records).

On November 25, 1958, Page Blakemore (president of Cameron Mining Company) obtained the assignment of Elwood Canyon's MP-421. In early 1959, he resumed underground mining on the property. Wells Cargo, Inc. sank a 50-foot-deep shaft on the Manuel Denetsone No. 2 property (MP-508) and mined out a small orebody during 1959 (Table 5).

The AEC investigated the Liba claims in T. 27 N., R. 10 E., sec. 4 and determined that the claims were invalid because that section had been withdrawn from mineral entry by the First Form Reclamation Withdrawal Act of June 17, 1902. Hence, shipments made in 1955 and 1956 were trespassing (Tables 4 and 5). On April 22, 1957, the land was restored to mineral entry and claim location (*Federal Register*, March 26, 1957, p. 1,991). On that date, the New Liba Nos. 1 through 22 claims were located. Sustained mining commenced in section 4 in the fall of 1959. Cameron Mining Company operated the mine for the claim owners, L.L. Travis and others. Initial shipments were made from the No. 17 claim.

During 1959, production ceased at the Jack Huskon No. 3 pit, Ramco No. 22 pit, and Juan Horse Nos. 3 and 4 pits. Underground mining in the adit off the wall of the Ramco No. 21 pit also ceased (Figure 3).

In September 1959, C.L. Rankin's lease in T. 27 N., R. 10 E., sec. 9 was acquired by Murchison Ventures, Inc. of Denver, Colorado. The firm built a "Benson Upgrader" on the property near the old Rare Metals open pit. This plant, designed by Ross L. Benson of Boulder, Colorado, used a wet, mechanical, sand-slime separation to concentrate the uranium minerals in the slime fraction. The sand fraction, or tailings, was deposited on the bank of the Little Colorado River. According to Benson (oral commun., 1959), the plant could treat 1,000 to 1,500 tons per day of material averaging 0.01 to 0.03 percent U_3O_8 and produce 200 to 300 tons per day of material containing 0.25 to 0.30 percent U_3O_8 . John Milton Addison, a Texas promotor, was in charge of the operation. After processing some low-grade ore from section 9, Murchison Ventures made a shipment of concentrate to the Tuba City mill in December 1959. This 10.76-ton shipment, made under the name of the C O Bar Livestock Company lease, averaged 0.16 percent U_3O_8 .

The plant was modified. In April 1960, another shipment was made to the mill. This shipment consisted of 11.31 tons of material, which averaged 0.16 percent U_3O_8 . After much legal action by the investors, the company was reorganized in June 1960 into Milestone Hawaii, Inc. In February 1961, Addison and six associates were convicted in a Texas court of mail fraud, conspiracy, and Federal security-law violations (*Arizona Daily Sun*, February 17, 1961).

Production in 1960 continued to decline by about 50 percent from 1959. In 1960 a total of 13,029.03 tons of ore averaging 0.19 percent U_3O_8 was produced (Table 3). For the first time since shipments began in 1951, the average grade of the ore dropped below 0.20 percent U_3O_8 (Table 3). During the year, final shipments were made from the Alyce Tolino No. 1, Lemuel Littleman No. 2, Max Johnson No. 9, Kachina No. 6, Charles Huskon No. 8, and New Liba open-pit mines. Final shipments were also made from the Elwood Canyon shaft and from the underground workings off the pit wall of the Ramco No. 20 (Figure 3).

The assignment of the mining rights to MP-360 (Jack Daniels No. 1) to Page P. Blakemore were approved on December 3, 1959. Marcy Exploration and Mining Company had cancelled its assignment on September 17, 1959. During 1960, Blakemore shipped 993.73 tons of ore averaging 0.18 percent U_3O_8 before closing the mine late in the year.

A new permit, MP-542, was issued to George D. Yazzie on February 15, 1960. This permit covered the same ground as the former MP-311, which was held by Chesser and Company. The assignment of the mining rights to Harold F. Rodgers was approved on March 1, 1960. Rodgers mined 123.10 tons averaging 0.24 percent U_3O_8 during 1960, and then abandoned the mine.

The Twilight Company acquired the mining rights to Elwood Thompson's MP-462 (formerly Ramco No. 23) on December 22, 1959. The company sank a 90-foot-deep shaft and began shipments in March 1960. The orebody on MP-462 had been discovered by Rare Metals in 1957 but had never been mined. During 1960, as the operators sought to locate additional ore, drilling averaged approximately 16,300 feet per month, the greatest amount of drilling in the Cameron area during any year (Table 7).

Annual production again declined by 50 percent in 1961. A total of 6,397.62 tons of ore, containing 24,186.29 pounds of U_3O_8 and averaging 0.19 percent U_3O_8 , were shipped (Table 3). Final shipments were made from the Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 11, and 12, Yazzie No. 2, Max Johnson No. 1, and Yazzie Nos. 101 and 312 open pits. Final shipments were also made from the Elwood Thompson No. 1 shaft (Table 4).

On December 14, 1960, Charlie Huskon was issued MP-550 to cover the Charles Huskon No. 4 property, which Utco had abandoned in early 1960. Harold F. Rodgers was assigned the mining rights on February 8, 1961. Rodgers produced 1,245.64 tons of ore averaging 0.13 percent U_3O_8 in 1961 before cancelling his assignment in early 1962.

In January 1962, the final shipment of 167.69 tons averaging 0.25 percent U_3O_8 was made from Charles Huskon No. 17. This was the last of the Huskon mines to close. During March 1962, Milestone Hawaii, Inc. made a 23.93-ton shipment from its remodeled upgrader in section 9. This shipment averaged 0.10 percent U_3O_8 . Material that was processed for this shipment came from shallow pits in T. 27 N., R. 10 E., secs. 9 and 16 and was labeled Milestone No. 1.

Because production at Cameron had steadily declined since 1957, the Orphan Lode mine in Grand Canyon National Park became the principal source of mill feed for the Tuba City mill (Chenoweth, 1986). A collapsed ore bin and resulting shaft damage forced the Orphan Lode mine to close on December 22, 1961, causing the mill to run out of ore. Rare Metals' ore-buying station at the mill would not accept any ore after March 31, 1962. The mill closed in May 1962.

In July 1962, Rare Metals was merged into the El Paso Natural Gas Company. On November 19, 1962 (effective September 10, 1962), El Paso signed a new contract with the AEC to produce concentrates from the Orphan Lode mine, as well as other ores, through December 31, 1966 (Chenoweth, 1986).

At Cameron, Julius Chee was issued MP-575 on July 23, 1962, to replace MP-444, which covered the Julius Chee No. 3 open pit that had been operated by L.V. Trettle. The assignment of the mining rights were approved to Leon Sterling, Jr., on August 16, 1962. With a new contract with the AEC, the El Paso mill began receiving ore in November 1962. Later that month, Sterling made a 45.57-ton shipment that averaged 0.16 percent U_3O_8 from the clean up of the old pit. Total production in 1962 declined to only 235.19 tons of ore averaging 0.22 percent U_3O_8 (Table 3).

While operating the Jack Daniels No. 1 mine in 1960, Page Blakemore determined that the orebody in the southwest portion of the pit extended west under the right-of-way of U.S. Highway 89. After the highway was relocated in 1961, Denetso was issued MP-559 (Jack Daniels No. 5) on July 19, 1961, covering 40 acres where ore was projected. The assignment of the permit to Blakemore was approved on August 14, 1962. In January 1963, Blakemore shipped 322.32 tons averaging 0.27 percent U_3O_8 from a small open pit he had excavated on the former highway right-of-way. Also in January 1963, Leon Sterling, Jr., shipped 22.67 tons averaging 0.13 percent U_3O_8 from the Julius Chee No. 3 open pit. These two shipments in January 1963 represent the last uranium ore production from the Cameron area. Production in 1963 totalled 344.99 tons, which averaged 0.26 percent U_3O_8 (Table 3). Shipments from

the Jack Daniels No. 5 and Julius Chee No. 3 in 1962 and 1963 were made under the Navajo Tribe's blanket allocation.

SUMMARY

During the 13 years (1951-63) that the mines in the Cameron area were active, 100 separate properties produced 289,247.96 tons of ore containing 1,211,812.48 pounds of U_3O_8 and averaging 0.21 percent U_3O_8 (Tables 1, 3, and 4). The bulk of the ore was mined from the Petrified Forest Member of the Chinle Formation: 70 properties produced 98 percent of the uranium (Table 1). Twenty-seven properties in the Shinarump Member of the Chinle Formation produced 2 percent of the uranium (Tables 1 and 8). Two properties in the Kayenta Formation and a single mine in a breccia pipe produced the remaining uranium (Table 1). Properties acquired by Charlie Huskon produced 474,121.16 pounds of U_3O_8 , or 39 percent of the total uranium mined in the Cameron area (Table 9). The AEC purchased all of the uranium concentrate produced from the Cameron ores.

Mining in the Cameron area diminished in the early 1960's when operators could not maintain sufficient volume of ore to continue economic mining operations. The mechanical upgrading of low-grade uraniferous material in the Shinarump Member northeast of Black Point was also found to be uneconomical.

The density of past drilling precludes the possibility of discovering additional large, shallow deposits similar to those that were mined. If the price of uranium increases, however, considerable material that is now considered to be uneconomic might become ore.

AEC records indicate that between July 1953 and December 1962, inclusive, approximately 1,005,000 feet of surface drilling was performed in the Cameron area (Table 7). This footage was attributed to approximately 20,000 holes. It included exploration drilling to locate new deposits and development drilling to delineate orebodies before mining commenced. Drillers commonly used a grid pattern, spacing the drill holes 500 feet apart and then decreasing the spacing to 50 feet when they found ore-grade material. They drilled with a noncore rotary rig, typical of those used in seismograph surveys, and rarely saved the cuttings. Uranium values were interpreted from meter readings of an electronics system using a Geiger-Müller tube lowered into the drill hole on a cable.

The drilling was initially centered around outcropping deposits and radioactive anomalies in both the Petrified Forest and Shinarump Members of the Chinle Formation. Expanding from the surface deposits, usually along the strike of the beds, explorationists found many additional deposits that had no surface exposure. The most intensely drilled area was on the northeast side of the Little Colorado River between Moenkopi Wash on the north and Tohachi Wash on the south (Plate 1). North of Cameron, the drilling extended to Five Mile Wash but was generally limited to a belt 1 to 1.5 miles wide on the east side of the river. The intensely drilled area extended south of Baah Lakaa Ridge near Kish Zhini Wash, where the Charles Huskon No. 4 deposit had been previously discovered. This drilling tested the basal Petrified Forest Member and rarely exceeded 100 feet in depth, the limit at which most operators felt they could economically mine. Some minor drilling occurred near the foot of Ward Terrace at anomalies and deposits, but rarely did this drilling exceed 50 feet in depth.

The orebodies in the lower part of the Petrified Forest Member were contained in lenticular channel sandstones. The channel sandstone containing the Yazzie No. 312, Juan Horse Nos. 3 and 4, Boyd Tisi No. 2, and Manuel Denetsone No. 2 ore deposits was plotted from logs of drill-hole cuttings. This channel was traced for 4 miles in a N. 18° W. direction before it lost its entity. The average width of this channel was 5,000 feet, and it had a maximum thickness of 35 feet. Smaller channels are present, and several have been noted in the open pits, but the subsurface information to trace them for any distance was unavailable. Within the lower part of the Petrified Forest Member, ore-bearing channel sandstones have been delineated near the Little Colorado River. Past exploration did not test these host

rocks at any depth. The possibility is good that additional ore-bearing channel sandstones are present at depth in the lower part of the Petrified Forest Member, east of the Little Colorado River.

Almost without exception, in the well-explored uranium districts on the Colorado Plateau, the shallow, oxidized, near-surface deposits were smaller and of lower grade than their unoxidized counterparts at depth. There is no known reason to expect any difference at Cameron. Possible higher grade and more continuous orebodies should present an attractive exploration target in the future.

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Table 1. Uranium ore production by host rock, Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona.

HOST ROCK	TONS OF ORE	POUNDS U ₃ O ₈	PERCENT U ₃ O ₈	POUNDS V ₂ O ₅	PERCENT ¹ V ₂ O ₅
Kayenta Formation	182.04	547.68	0.15	1,494.04	0.40
Petrified Forest Member, Chinle Formation	278,616.46	1,186,889.66	0.21	203,680.11	0.05
Shinarump Member, Chinle Formation	9,941.05	20,535.99	0.10	6,608.62	0.10
Moenkopi Formation (breccia pipe)	508.41	3,839.15	0.38	331.00	0.03
TOTAL	289,247.96	1,211,812.48	0.21	212,113.77	0.05

¹ Grade based on actual tons analyzed for vanadium oxide.

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 2. Uranium mines in the Cameron area, Navajo Indian Reservation, with names other than the Navajo permittee.

MINE NAME	PERMITTEE
A & B Nos. 2, 5	Harry Walker
A & B Nos. 3, 7, 13	Paul Huskie
Casey No. 3	Scott Preston
Jack Daniels Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5	Denctso
Jackpot Nos. 1, 5, 40	Ned Hatathli
Jeepster	William Robbins
June	Jessie Sloan
Kachina No. 6	William Robbins
Martin Johnson No. 4	David Tsosie, Willie John
Montezuma Nos. 1, 2, 7A, 7B, 7C	William Robbins
Ramco No. 20	Calvin Semallie
Ramco No. 21	Dan McClellan
Ramco No. 22	Elvin Gordy
Ramco No. 24	Dan Webster
Ryan Nos. 1, 2	Clay Bigman
Thomas No. 1	Ancil Thomas
Tommy	Jessie Sloan
Ward Terrace	Hosteen Nez
Yazzie Nos. 1, 2, 312	Maxwell Yazzie
Yazzie Nos. 101, 102	George Yazzie
Yellow Jeep Nos. 7A, 7B	Ben and Pete Semallie

Source: Navajo Tribal Mining Department, unpublished records; in files of U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 3. Annual uranium ore production, Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona.

YEAR	TONS OF ORE	POUNDS U ₃ O ₈	PERCENT U ₃ O ₈	POUNDS V ₂ O ₅	PERCENT V ₂ O ₅	NO. OF OPERATORS	NO. OF MINES SHIPPING ORE
1951	1.05	8.65	0.41	4.85	0.23		1
1952	90.20	386.43	0.21	214.56	0.56	2	2
1953	8,104.54	41,713.56	0.26	13,725.88	0.08	1	9
1954	11,366.50	51,550.00	0.23	17,234.47	0.08	7	20
1955	1,606.53	6,756.56	0.21	1,756.01	0.05	7	11
1956	84,799.13	363,508.40	0.21	80,101.00	0.05	19	55
1957	78,219.55	326,236.75	0.21	85,684.00	0.05	18	51
1958	57,347.84 ¹	233,994.08	0.20	13,393.00	0.03	17	42
1959	27,705.79	111,983.06	0.20	NA	—	16	31
1960	13,029.03	48,667.05	0.19	NA	—	16	25
1961	6,397.62	24,186.29	0.19	NA	—	5	14
1962	235.19	1,032.96	0.22	NA	—	3	3
1963	344.99	1,788.69	0.26	NA	—	2	2
TOTAL	289,247.96	1,211,812.48	0.21	212,113.77	0.05		

¹ Only 22,321.67 tons were analyzed for vanadium oxide in 1958.

NA: No analysis.

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 4. Operators and mines, showing year of ore production. Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

	1956
Hosteen Nez Mining Co. Hosteen Nez	B C Associates Charles Huskon No. 5 Julius Chee No. 2 June Tommy Black, C.S. Liba Group Chesser and Co. Yazzie Nos. 101, 102 Diamond Uranium Corp. L. Littleman No. 7 Filmore, Robert Grub No. 14 (Section 16) Five Star Mining Co. Amos Chee Nos. 2, 8 Foley Brothers, Inc. Foley No. 5 Yazzie No. 1 Harbough and Chinn Henry Sloan No. 1 Jackpot Nos. 1, 5, 40 Paul Huskie No. 21 Howell and Glasscock Murphy Group Johnson, Martin Martin Johnson No. 4 Kachina Uranium Corp. Jeepster No. 1 Montezuma Nos. 1, 2, 7A, 7B, 7C Lauderdale Mining and Development Corp. Howard No. 1 Luster No. 1 Marcy Exploration and Mining Co. Jack Daniels Nos. 1, 3, 4 Maynard and Ryan Ryan No. 2 Rare Metals Corp. America Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 14, 17 Rameo Nos. 20, 21, 22 Trettle, L.V. Julius Chee No. 3 United Exploration Syndicate Ward Terrace Tract (Hosteen Nez) Utah Southern Oil Co. Emmett Lee No. 1 Julius Chee No. 4 Max Johnson No. 1 Utco Uranium Corp. Charles Huskon Nos. 4, 9, 18 Paul Huskie No. 3 Riverview
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Arrowhead Uranium Co. Charles Huskon No. 1 Hosteen Nez Mining Co. Hosteen Nez	
1953	
Arrowhead Uranium Co. Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10	
1954	
A and B Mining Co. A and B Nos. 2, 3, 5, 7, 13 Earl Huskon No. 1 Henry Sloan No. 1 Arrowhead Uranium Co. Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 12, 17 Bloomfield, J.W. Earl Huskon No. 1 F and B Mining Co. Thomas No. 1 Five Star Mining Co. Amos Chee No. 3 Nordell, A.C. Section 1 Wilson, Howard Taylor Reid No. 2	
1955	
A and B Mining Co. A and B No. 3 Earl Huskon No. 3 Arrowhead Uranium Co. Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 17 Diamond Uranium Corp. Lemuel Littleman No. 3 Five Star Mining Co. Amos Chee Nos. 3, 8 Kachina Uranium Corp. Montezuma No. 2 Shooting Star Uranium Co. Liba Group Vermillion Cliffs Uranium Co. Max Huskon Nos. 1-7	

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included in the
response

1957

Diamond Uranium Corp.
 L. Littleman No. 2
 Foley Brothers, Inc.
 Yazzie Nos. 1, 2
 Harbough and Chinn
 Jackpot Nos. 5, 40
 Kachina Uranium Corp.
 Jeepster No. 1
 Kachina No. 6
 Montezuma Nos. 2, 7A
 Kaibab Uranium Corp.
 Casey No. 3
 Klaner and Associates
 Boyd Tisi No. 2
 Marcy Exploration and Mining Co.
 Jack Daniels No. 1
 Mescalero Mining Co.
 Emmett Lee No. 3
 Pelan, Dave
 Boyd Tisi No. 1
 Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10,
 11, 12, 17, 27
 Ramco Nos. 20, 21, 22, 24
 Section 9
 Ryan and Maynard
 Ryan Nos. 1, 2
 Sequoia Mining Co.
 A. Maloney No. 2
 Skiles Oil Co.
 Elwood Canyon No. 2
 Steinberger Drilling Co.
 Alyce Tolino Nos. 1-3
 Julia Semallie
 Trettle, L.V.
 Julius Chee No. 3
 Utah Southern Oil Co.
 Emmett Lee No. 1
 Julius Chee No. 4
 Max Johnson Nos. 1, 7
 Yazzie Nos. 101, 312
 Utco Uranium Corp.
 Charles Huskon Nos. 4, 9, 18, 19, 20
 Evans Huskon No. 34
 Harry Walker No. 16
 Riverview
 Yellow Jeep Mining Co.
 Yellow Jeep Nos. 7A-B

1958

Diamond Uranium Corp.
 L. Littleman No. 2

Foley Brothers, Inc.
 Yazzie No. 2
 Howell, Sheppard and Bosley
 Murphy group
 Kachina Uranium Corp.
 Kachina No. 6
 Klaner and Associates
 Boyd Tisi No. 2
 Marcy Exploration and Mining Co.
 Jack Daniels No. 1
 Mescalero Mining Co.
 Emmett Lee No. 3
 Navajo Leytso Mining Co.
 Thomas No. 1
 Rankin, C.L.
 Navajo No. 26
 Section No. 1
 Section No. 9
 Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 17
 Ramco Nos. 20, 21, 22, 24
 Ryan and Maynard
 Ryan Nos. 1, 2
 Steinberger Drilling Co.
 Juan Horse No. 4
 Julia Semillie
 Stevenson, W.W.
 B.P. Group (Navajo No. 26)
 Utah Southern Oil Co.
 Emmett Lee No. 1
 Julius Chee No. 4
 Max Johnson No. 7
 Yazzie Nos. 101, 312
 Utco Uranium Corp.
 Charles Huskon Nos. 4, 9, 18
 Evans Huskon No. 35
 Julius Chee No. 2
 Paul Huskie No. 3
 Wells Cargo, Inc.
 Juan Horse No. 3
 Max Johnson No. 9
 Woodson Exploration Co.
 Jack Huskon No. 3

1959

Blakemore, Page P.
 Elwood Canyon No. 2
 Cramer, Louis W.
 Max Johnson No. 10
 Diamond Uranium Corp.
 L. Littleman No. 2
 Domino Mining Co.
 Charles Huskon No. 8
 Paul Huskie No. 20

Foley Brothers, Inc.
 Yazzie No. 2
 Kachina Uranium Corp.
 Kachina No. 6
 Montezuma No. 1
 Lynch, J.W.
 Jack Huskon No. 3
 Murchison Ventures, Inc.
 C O Bar Livestock (Section 9)
 Rankin, C.L.
 Section 9
 Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 11, 12, 17
 Ramco Nos. 20, 21, 22
 Steinberger Drilling
 Alyce Toleno No. 1
 Juan Horse No. 4
 Travis, L.L.
 Liba group
 Utah Southern Oil Co.
 Max Johnson Nos. 1, 7
 Yazzie No. 312
 Utco Uranium Corp.
 Charles Huskon No. 4
 Wells Cargo, Inc.
 Juan Horse No. 3
 Manuel Dentsone No. 2
 Max Johnson No. 9
 Woodson Exploration Co.
 Jack Huskon No. 3

1960

Blakemore, Page P.
 Elwood Canyon No. 2
 Jack Daniels No. 1
 Liba Group
 Cramer, Louis W.
 Max Johnson No. 10
 Diamond Uranium Corp.
 L. Littleman Nos. 2, 7
 Domino Mining Co.
 Charles Huskon No. 8
 Foley Brothers, Inc.
 Yazzie No. 2
 Kachina Uranium Corp.
 Kachina No. 6
 Murchison Ventures, Inc.
 C O Bar Livestock (Section 9)
 Navajo Leytso Mining Co.
 Thomas No. 1

Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 11, 17
 Ramco No. 20
 Rogers, Harold F.
 Yazzie No. 101
 Steinberger Drilling
 Alyce Toleno No. 1
 Travis, L.L.
 Liba Group
 Twilight Co.
 Elwood Thompson No. 1
 Utah Southern Oil Co.
 Max Johnson No. 1
 Yazzie Nos. 101, 312
 Utco Uranium Corp.
 Charles Huskon No. 4
 Wells Cargo, Inc.
 Max Johnson No. 9

Foley Brothers, Inc.
 Yazzie No. 2
 Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 11, 12, 17
 Rodgers, Harold F.
 Charles Huskon No. 4
 Twilight Co.
 Elwood Thompson No. 1
 Utah Southern Oil Co.
 Max Johnson No. 1
 Yazzie Nos. 101, 312

Milestone Hawaii, Inc.
 Milestone No. 1
 Rare Metals Corp. America
 Charles Huskon No. 17
 Sterling, Leon, Jr.
 Julius Chee No. 3

Blakemore, Page P.
 Jack Daniels No. 5
 Sterling, Leon Jr.
 Julius Chee No. 3

Table 5. Uranium-vanadium production of mines in the Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona, shown on Plate 1

No. on Plate 1 ¹	Mine Name	Tons of Ore	Pounds U ₃ O ₈	Percent U ₃ O ₈	Pounds V ₂ O ₅	Percent V ₂ O ₅ ²	Operator(s)	Year(s) of Production
	Earl Huskon No. 1	369.95	1426.03	0.19	3,111.31	0.42	J.W. Bloomfield	1954
							A & B Mining Corp.	1954-55
2	Paul Huskie No. 21	12.40	64.48	0.26	5.00	0.02	Harbough & Chinn	1956
3	Earl Huskon No. 3	1,835.36	8,826.28	0.24	1,198.54	0.03	A & B Mining Corp.	1954-55
4	A & B No. 5	304.68	788.40	0.13	243.74	0.04	A & B Mining Corp.	1954
5a,b	Henry Sloan No. 1	352.87	1,273.00	0.18	322.52	0.05	A & B Mining Corp.	1954
							Harbough & Chinn	1956
7	A & B No. 13	50.82	91.48	0.09	91.48	0.09	A & B Mining Corp.	1954
8	A & B No. 7	24.49	39.18	0.08	132.22	0.27	A & B Mining Corp.	1954
✓ 9	Charles Huskon No. 5	320.86	668.26	0.26	1,103.32	0.17	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953
							B.C. Associates	1956
✓ 11	Charles Huskon No. 6	746.99	3,023.69	0.20	229.33	0.05	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-61
12	Lemuel Littleman No. 7	98.54	181.86	0.09	13.00	0.03	Diamond Uranium Corp.	1956,60
13	Jeepster No. 1	1,127.58	4,061.91	0.18	848.00	0.04	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1956-57
14	Montezuma No. 7C	365.96	93.52	0.13	43.00	0.06	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1956
15a,b,c	Montezuma No. 7B	38.01	91.22	0.12	38.00	0.05	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1956
16	Montezuma No. 7A	57.34	131.71	0.11	53.00	0.05	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1956-57
17a,b	Montezuma No. 2	192.63	475.01	0.12	200.79	0.05	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1955-57
18	Casey No. 3	16.50	39.60	0.12	13.00	0.04	Kaibab Uranium Corp.	1957
19	Kachina No. 6	1,451.70	4,043.87	0.14	65.00	0.02	Kachina Uranium Corp.	1957-60
21	Evans Huskon No. 34	1,853.07	6,017.51	0.16	1,452.00	0.04	Utco Uranium Corp.	1957
22	Charles Huskon No. 20	1,037.56	4,996.09	0.24	1,320.00	0.06	Utco Uranium Corp.	1957
23	Charles Huskon No. 19	696.35	1,903.17	0.14	275.00	0.02	Utco Uranium Corp.	1957
24	Jack Daniels No. 1	39,440.14	176,208.84	0.22	40,779.00	0.06	Marcy Explor. & Mining Co.	1956-58,60
24	Jack Daniels No. 3	12.22	26.89	0.11	10.00	0.04	Marcy Explor. & Mining Co.	1956
24	Jack Daniels No. 4	33.85	94.78	0.14	47.00	0.07	Marcy Explor. & Mining Co.	1956
24	Jack Daniels No. 5	322.32	1,728.40	0.27	N/A		Page P. Blakemore	1963
✓ 25	Charles Huskon No. 12	1,779.66	6,293.97	0.18	207.99	0.27	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1954
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-59,61
26	A & B No. 3	585.97	1,457.87	0.12	514.95	0.04	A & B Mining Corp.	1954-55
27	Max Johnson No. 1	5,678.29	25,818.29	0.23	2,815.00	0.03	Utah Southern Oil Co.	1956-57,59-61
28a,b	Lemuel Littleman No. 2	5,819.05	23,966.36	0.21	758.00	0.02	Diamond Uranium Corp.	1957-60
✓ 29	Charles Huskon No. 1	23,126.98	100,406.62	0.22	51,691.68	0.14	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1952-55
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-61
30	Max Johnson No. 10	195.78	1,094.10	0.28	NA		Louis W. Cramer	1959-60
31	Max Johnson No. 9	1,374.55	5,264.60	0.19	NA		Wells Cargo, Inc.	1958-60
32	Elwood Canyon No. 1	874.42	3,638.36	0.21	81.00	0.02	Skiles Oil Corp.	1957
							Page P. Blakemore	1959-60
34	Alyce Tolino Nos. 1,3	1,811.17	8,114.75	0.22	2,478.00	0.06	Steinberger Drilling Co.	1957,60
✓ 35	Evans Huskon No. 2	11,776.55	42,692.27	0.18	3,051.55	0.02	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1955
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1957-61
36	Yazzie No. 101	4,954.54	21,702.47	0.22	1,884.00	0.02	Chesser & Co.	1956
							Utah Southern Oil Co.	1957-58,60-61
37	Yazzie No. 312 (Foley No. 5)	7,376.46	32,242.97	0.22	628.00	0.03	Foley Brothers, Inc.	1956
							Utah Southern Oil Co.	1957-61
38	Boyd Tisi No. 2	793.61	4,758.43	0.30	599.00	0.06	Klaner & Assoc.	1957-58
39	Juan Horse No. 3	2,342.80	9,070.37	0.19	NA		Wells Cargo, Inc.	1958-59

No. on Plate 1 ¹	Mine Name	Tons of Ore	Pounds U ₃ O ₈	Percent U ₃ O ₈	Pounds V ₂ O ₅	Percent V ₂ O ₅ ²	Operator(s)	Year(s) of Production
40	Lemuel Littleman No. 3	11.88	54.63	0.23	16.63	0.07	Diamond Uranium Corp.	1955
41	Juan Horse No. 4	2,418.09	11,171.79	0.23	NA		Steinberger Drilling Co.	1958-59
43	Charles Huskon No. 14	46.54	102.39	0.11	19.00	0.02	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956
44	Montezuma No. 1	10.66	21.32	0.10	NA		Kachina Uranium Corp.	1959
45	Manuel Denetstone No. 2	337.82	1,332.99	0.20	NA		Wells Cargo, Inc.	1959
47	A & B No. 2	121.90	679.70	0.28	318.74	0.13	A & B Mining Corp.	1954
48	Jack Huskon No. 3	1,263.95	4,606.48	0.19	NA		Woodson Exploration Co.	1958-59
							J.W. Lynch	1959
49a, b,c,d	Charles Huskon No. 3	27,249.05	110,261.19	0.20	8,267.82	0.02	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953-54
52	Paul Huskie No. 20	22.72	68.16	0.15	NA		Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-61
53	Charles Huskon No. 7	2,500.73	15,306.31	0.31	2,871.13	0.06	Domino Mining Co.	1959
							Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-58
54	Yazzie No. 102	1,610.38	9,574.64	0.30	2,529.00	0.09	Chesser & Co.	1956
							H.F. Rogers	1960
55a,b	Charles Huskon No. 10	17,084.39	75,036.72	0.22	20,599.80	0.07	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953-54
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-59,61
58a,b	Charles Huskon No. 8	626.20	2,901.73	0.23	474.81	0.07	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-57
							Domino Mining Co.	1959-60
59	Boyd Tisi No. 1	37.22	96.78	0.13	67.00	0.09	Dave Pelan	1957
60	Evans Huskon No. 35	63.71	169.89	0.13	NA		Uteco Uranium Corp.	1958
63	Ryan No. 1	311.08	1,086.89	0.17	137.00	0.02	Ryan & Maynard	1957-58
64	Taylor Reid No. 2	91.30	587.77	0.32	199.00	0.11	Howard Wilson	1954
65	Charles Huskon No. 26	18.06	43.35	0.12	11.00	0.03	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1957
66	Charles Huskon No. 11	2,776.92	6,518.06	0.12	92.00	0.02	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1957-61
67a,b	Section 1 Lease	43.92	197.32	0.22	113.59	0.16	A.C. Nordell	1954
							C.L. Rankin	1958
68a,b	New Liba Group	1,845.42	5,917.91	0.16	183.64	0.04	Shooting Star Uranium	1955
							C.S. Black	1956
							L.L. Travis	1959-60
							Page P. Blakemore	1960
70	Howard No. 1	24.59	127.87	0.26	49.00	0.10	Lauderdale Mining & Dev.	1956
71a,b,c	Section 9 Lease	361.55	916.87	0.13	4.00	0.01	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1957
							C.L. Rankin	1958-59
							Murchison Ventures	1959-60
72a,b	Ramco No. 21	5,471.48	26,825.11	0.25	3,903.00	0.08	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-59
73,75	Ramco No. 22	16,608.94	77,040.28	0.23	4,828.00	0.05	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-59
74,75	Ramco No. 20	22,642.06	99,226.33	0.22	19,259.00	0.05	Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-60
75	Ryan No. 2	2,066.35	9,422.40	0.23	2,897.00	0.08	Maynard & Ryan	1956-58
79	Yazzie No. 1	342.51	1,310.85	0.19	447.00	0.07	Foley Brothers, Inc.	1956-57
80	Yazzie No. 2	5,646.11	22,668.78	0.20	1,337.00	0.03	Foley Brothers, Inc.	1957-61
81	Navajo No. 26	94.61	341.65	0.18	NA		W.W. Stevenson	1958
							C.L. Rankin	1958
82	Luster No. 1	319.61	929.08	0.14	219.00	0.03	Lauderdale Mining & Dev.	1956
83	Grub No. 14	13.14	42.04	0.16	8.00	0.03	Robert Fillmore	1956
84	Charles Huskon No. 17	4,868.83	20,234.26	0.21	1,218.80	0.02	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1954-55
							Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1956-62
85	Jackpot No. 40	152.07	599.13	0.20	215.00	0.07	Harbough & Chinn	1956-57
86	Jackpot No. 1	151.39	540.19	0.18	79.00	0.03	Harbough & Chinn	1956

No. on Plate 1 ¹	Mine Name	Tons of Ore	Pounds U ₃ O ₈	Percent U ₃ O ₈	Pounds V ₂ O ₅	Percent V ₂ O ₅ ²	Operator(s)	Year(s) of Production
87	Jackpot No. 5	77.39	405.22	0.26	26.00	0.02	Harbough & Chinn	1956-57
88	Black Point-Murphy Group	,768.57	7,470.30	0.21	,378.00	0.04	Howell & Glassock	1956
89	Amos Chee No. 8	100.86	391.86	0.19	85.76	0.04	Howell, Sheppard, & Bosley	1958
90	Max Johnson No. 7	280.34	901.97	0.16	149.00	0.03	Five Star Mining Co.	1955-56
91	Charles Huskon No. 9	617.17	2,215.58	0.18	177.55	0.02	Utah Southern Oil Co.	1957-59
							Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1954
							Uteco Uranium Corp.	1956-58
92	Elwood Thompson No. 1	3,261.32	15,548.16	0.24	NA		Twilight Co.	1960-61
93	Riverview	508.41	3,839.15	0.38	331.00	0.03	Uteco Uranium Corp.	1956-57
94	Emmett Lee No. 1	839.56	3,158.11	0.19	306.00	0.02	Utah Southern Oil Co.	1956-58
94	Julius Chee No. 4	1,042.27	3,835.59	0.18	264.00	0.01	Utah Southern Oil Co.	1956-58
94	Julius Chee No. 3	217.56	757.69	0.17	30.00	0.01	L.V. Trettle	1956-57
							Leon Sterling, Jr.	1962-63
94,95	Julius Chee No. 2	637.44	2,211.22	0.17	231.00	0.02	B.C. Associates	1956
							Uteco Uranium Corp.	1957-58
96a,b	Ramco No. 24	2,828.04	12,013.08	0.21	NA		Rare Metals Corp. Amer.	1957-58
96b	Harry Walker No. 16	50.98	121.28	0.12	50.00	0.05	Uteco Uranium Corp.	1957
97,98	Charles Huskon No. 4	33,821.10	121,244.63	0.18	13,709.61	0.02	Arrowhead Uranium Co.	1953-54
							Uteco Uranium Corp.	1956-60
							H.F. Rodgers	1961
98	Paul Huskie No. 3	3,925.32	14,371.72	0.18	2,472.00	0.03	Uteco Uranium Corp.	1956,58
99	Charles Huskon No. 18	613.70	1,965.14	0.16	353.00	0.03	Uteco Uranium Corp.	1956-58
100	Julia Semallie	1,622.78	8,193.49	0.25	1,229.00	0.05	Steinberger Drilling Co.	1957-58
100	Emmett Lee No. 3	228.69	1,469.84	0.32	104.00	0.03	Mescalero Mining Co.	1957-58
	Milestone No. 1 ³	23.93	47.86	0.10	NA		Milestone Hawaii, Inc.	1962

¹ The following numbers are not listed in this table (see first column) but are listed on Plate 1: 6, 10, 20, 33, 42, 46, 50, 51, 56, 57, 61, 62, 69, 76, 77, and 78. The missing numbers refer to uranium deposits that were never mined because of their small size or low grade.

² Grade based on actual tons analyzed for vanadium oxide.

³ Upgraded material from T. 27 N., R. 10 E., secs. 9 and 16 (Nos. 71 and 83).

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 6. Uranium-vanadium production of mines not shown on Plate 1.

Mine Name	Location T R S	Tons of Ore	Pounds U ₃ O ₈	Percent U ₃ O ₈	Pounds V ₂ O ₅	Percent V ₂ O ₅	Operators(s)	Year(s) of Production
Tommy	39 7 23	39.93	295.35	0.37	16.00	0.02	B.C. Associates	1956
June	39 7 26	22.67	99.75	0.22	9.00	0.02	B.C. Associates	1956
Thomas No. 1	38 7 22	153.85	294.38	0.10	NA		F & B Mining	1954
							Navajo Leytso	1958, 1960
Martin Johnson No. 4	32 9 11	37.51	120.04	0.16	23.00	0.03	Martin Johnson	1956
Max Huskon Nos. 1, 5	31 9 26	56.71	45.13	0.04	22.69	0.02	Vermillion Cliffs Mining	1955
Hosteen Nez	27 12 33	60.81	142.25	0.12	147.04	0.12	Hosteen Nez Mining	1951-52
							United Exploration	1956
Yellow Jeep No. 7A,B	28 11 10	121.23	405.43	0.17	1,344.00	0.55	Yellow Jeep Mining	1957
Amos Chee Nos. 2, 3	25 11 24	88.98	299.28	0.17	2,395.73	1.35	Five Star Mining	1954-56
A. Maloney No. 2	25 11 24	23.52	32.93	0.07	98.00	0.21	Sequoia Mining	1957

NA: No analysis.

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 7. Surface drilling for uranium,
Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona.

YEAR	FOOTAGE
1953	135,000
1954	40,000
1955	48,000
1956	70,000
1957	90,000
1958	150,000
1959	150,000
1960	196,000
1961	96,000
1962	30,000
1963	n
TOTAL	1,005,000

Source: Unpublished field notes, U.S.
Atomic Energy Commission, Grand
Junction, Colorado.

Table 8. Mines in the Cameron area that have produced from the Shinarump Member, Chinle Formation.

NAME	TONS OF ORE	POUNDS U ₃ O ₈	PERCENT U ₃ O ₈	POUNDS V ₂ O ₅	PERCENT V ₂ O ₅ ¹
A and B No. 2	121.90	679.70	0.28	318.74	0.13
A and B No. 3	585.97	1,457.87	0.12	514.95	0.04
A and B No. 5	304.68	788.40	0.13	243.74	0.04
A and B No. 7	24.49	39.18	0.08	132.22	0.27
Casey No. 3	16.50	39.60	0.12	13.00	0.04
Charles Huskon No. 6	746.99	3,023.69	0.20	299.33	0.05
Charles Huskon No. 11	2,776.92	6,518.06	0.12	92.00	0.02
Charles Huskon No. 12	1,779.66	6,293.97	0.18	702.99	0.27
Charles Huskon No. 14	46.54	102.39	0.11	19.00	0.02
Charles Huskon No. 26	18.06	43.35	0.12	11.00	0.03
Earl Huskon No. 1	369.95	1,426.03	0.19	3,111.31	0.42
Grub No. 14	13.14	42.04	0.16	8.00	0.03
Howard No. 1	24.59	127.87	0.26	49.00	0.10
L. Littleman No. 3	11.88	54.63	0.23	16.63	0.10
Liba Group	1,845.42	5,917.16	0.16	183.64	0.04
Luster No. 1	319.61	929.08	0.15	219.00	0.03
Max Huskon Nos. 1, 7	56.71	45.13	0.04	22.69	0.02
Milestone No. 1	23.93	47.86	0.10	NA	
Montezuma No. 1	10.66	21.32	0.10	NA	
Montezuma No. 2	192.63	475.01	0.12	200.79	0.05
Montezuma No. 7A	57.34	131.71	0.12	53.00	0.05
Montezuma No. 7B	38.01	91.22	0.12	38.00	0.05
Montezuma No. 7C	35.97	93.52	0.13	43.00	0.06
Paul Huskie No. 20	22.73	68.16	0.15	NA	
Section 1	43.92	197.32	0.22	113.59	0.16
Section 9	361.55	916.87	0.12	4.00	0.01
Taylor Reid No. 2	91.30	587.77	0.32	199.00	0.11
TOTAL	9,941.05	20,535.99	0.10	6,608.62	0.10

¹ Grade based on actual tons analyzed for vanadium oxide.

NA: No analysis.

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Table 9. Uranium production from mines on Charles Huskon's mining permits, ranked by size.

MINE NO.	TONS OF ORE	POUNDS U ₃ O ₈	PERCENT U ₃ O ₈
4	33,821.10	121,244.63	0.18
3	27,249.05	110,261.19	0.20
	23,126.98	100,406.62	0.22
10	17,084.39	75,036.72	0.22
17	4,868.83	20,234.26	0.21
11	2,776.92	6,518.06	0.12
7	2,500.73	15,306.31	0.31
12	1,779.66	6,293.97	0.18
20	1,037.56	4,996.09	0.24
6	746.99	3,023.69	0.20
19	696.35	1,903.17	0.14
8	626.20	2,901.73	0.23
9	617.17	2,215.58	0.18
18	613.70	1,965.14	0.16
5	320.86	1,668.26	0.26
14	46.54	102.39	0.11
26	18.06	43.35	0.12
TOTAL	117,931.09	474,121.16	0.20

Source: Unpublished records, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Grand Junction, Colorado.

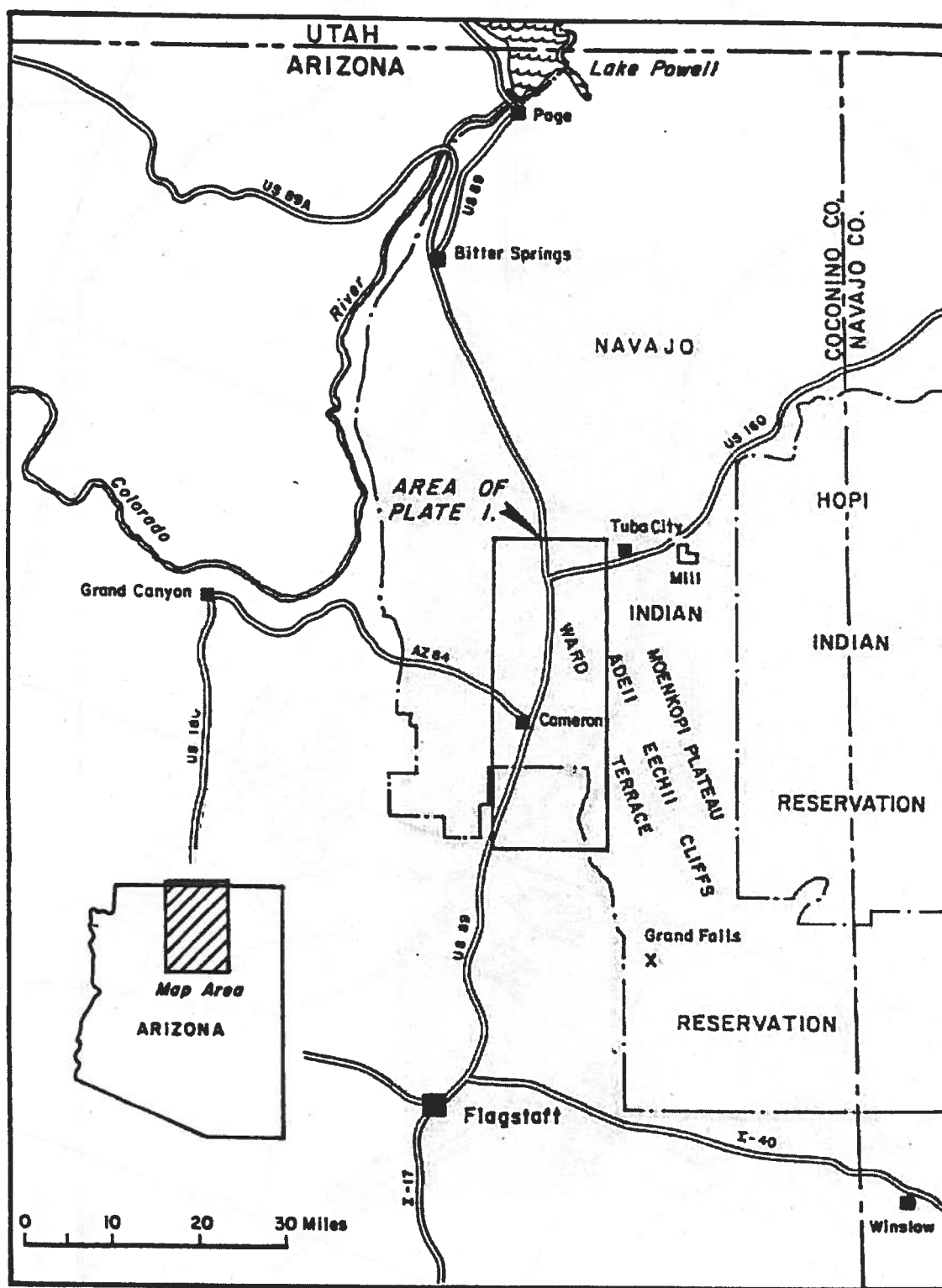


Figure Index map of north central Arizona showing the location of the Cameron uranium mining area

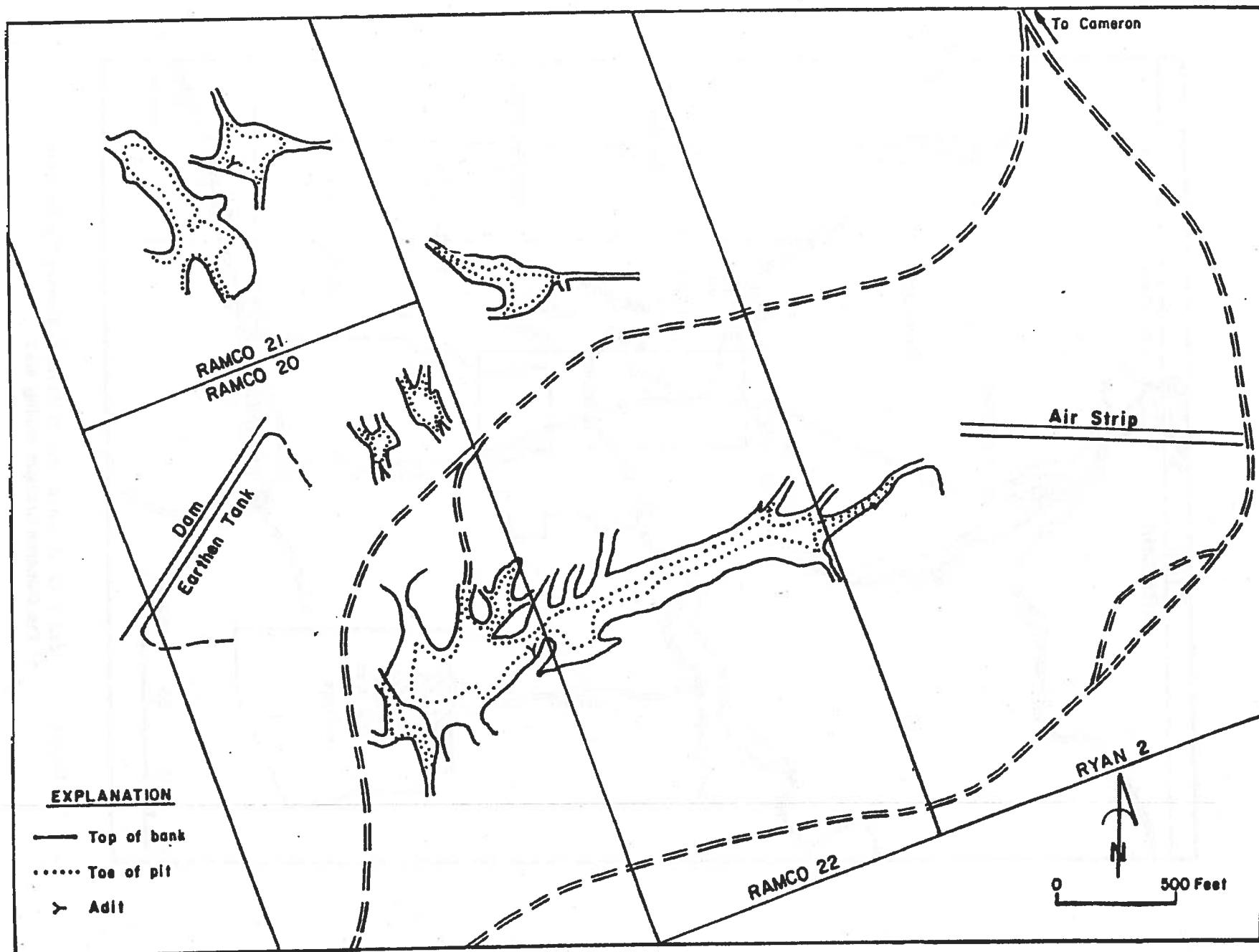


Figure 2. Map showing the mines on the Ramco 20,21,22 and Ryan 2 mining permits, Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona

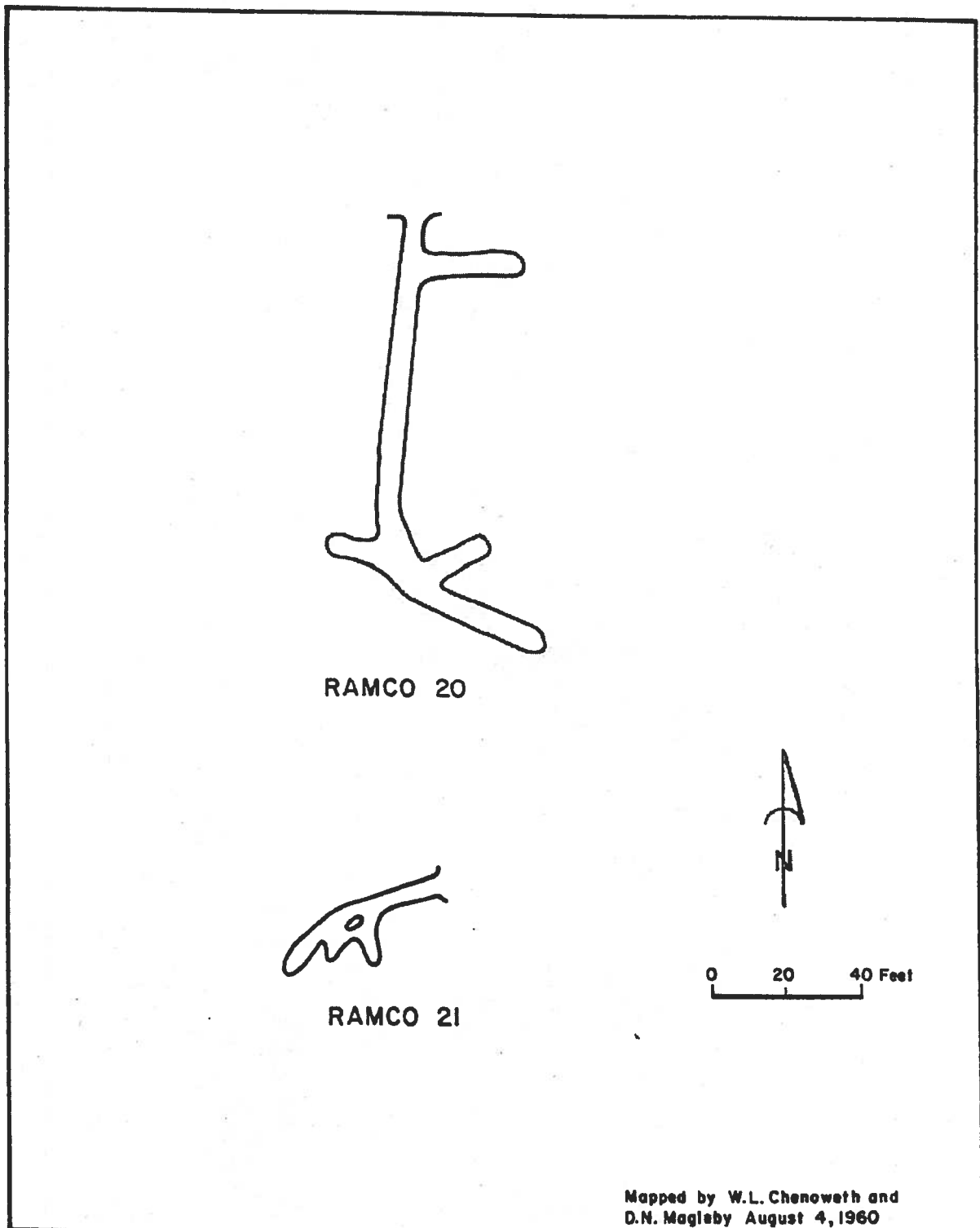


Figure 3. Maps of the underground mines, Ramco 20 and 21 mining permits, Cameron area, Coconino County, Arizona

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STATE	COUNTY	CONTROLLER	PROPERTY	TONS DRF	POUNDS U308	%U308	POUNDS V205	%V205	TONS U308
ARIZONA			TOTAL	3,565.46	17,760.95	.25	98,666.02	1.38	8.88
		SIMPSON GEORGE P							
			✓ PLOT 1 + 2	519.74	2,542.57	.24	19,672.00	1.89	1.27
			✓ SIMPSON 1	31.94	112.32	.18	540.19	.85	.05
			TOTAL	551.68	2,654.89	.24	20,212.19	1.83	1.32
		SPENCER URANIUM							
			✓ JOHN M YAZZIE 1	198.98	1,459.85	.37	2,108.88	.53	.72
			TOTAL	198.98	1,459.85	.37	2,108.88	.53	.72
		V C A							
			✓ COVE MESA	955.06	4,296.12	.22	35,565.00	1.86	2.14
			✓ MONUMENT 2 IND 620	96,741.21	784,967.65	.40	2,429,901.00	1.23	392.98
			✓ PLOT 4	22.47	82.33	.18	739.00	1.64	.04
			✓ RATTLESNAKE	559.63	2,484.00	.22	17,966.00	1.61	1.24
			TOTAL	100,278.37	792,830.10	.40	2,484,171.00	1.24	396.41
		APACHE COUNTY TOTAL		156,846.05	1,104,991.46	.35	3,854,863.73	1.23	552.49
		A + B MINING CO							
			A + B 2	121.90	679.70	.28	318.74	.13	.33
			A + B 3	421.23	678.17	.10	370.26	.04	.43
			A + B 5	364.66	788.40	.13	243.74	.04	.39
			A + B 7	24.49	39.18	.08	132.22	.27	.01
			A + B 13	50.82	91.48	.09	91.48	.09	.04
			EARL HUSKON 1	166.21	604.85	.16	977.84	.26	.30
			EARL HUSKON 3	1,357.79	6,827.26	.25	900.41	.03	3.41
			SLOAN 1	312.75	1,160.40	.19	258.52	.04	.58
			TOTAL	2,779.87	11,069.44	.20	3,293.21	.06	5.53
		ALPINE URANIUM C							
			BIG BLUE	37.92	211.62	.28			.10
			RAINBOW	8.96	16.13	.09	55.57	.31	
			TOTAL	46.88	227.75	.24	55.57	.31	.11
		ARROWHEAD URAN C							
			HUSKON 1	1,315.88	5,841.88	.22	2,861.85	.11	2.92
			HUSKON 2	913.03	4,291.82	.24	669.41	.04	2.14
			HUSKON 3	2,454.53	13,508.24	.27	1,427.01	.03	6.79
			HUSKON 4	1,032.09	3,001.34	.15	717.99	.03	1.50

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STATE	COUNTY	CONTROLLER	PROPERTY	TONS ORE	POUNDS U308	U306	POUNDS V205	V205	TONS U308
ARIZONA			A + B MINING CO						
			A + B 3	164.74	577.70	.18	144.69	.04	.28
			EARL HUSKON 3	477.57	1,999.02	.21	293.13	.03	.99
			TOTAL	642.31	2,578.72	.20	442.82	.03	1.28
			ARROWHEAD URAN C						
			HUSKON 1	197.07	1,245.52	.32	640.76	.16	.62
			HUSKON 2	366.65	2,092.30	.28	291.90	.04	1.04
			HUSKON 17	19.29	81.03	.21	19.29	.05	.04
			TOTAL	582.21	3,418.85	.29	951.95	.08	1.70
			BONHAM G C						
			SUN VALLEY MINE	19.02	98.02	.26			.04
			TOTAL	19.02	98.02	.26			.04
			DIAMOND URAN COF						
			LEMOEL LITTLEMAN 3	11.68	54.63	.23	16.63	.07	.02
			TOTAL	11.68	54.63	.23	16.63	.07	.02
			FIVE STAR MINING						
			AMOS CHEE 3	17.54	31.57	.09	101.71	.29	.01
			AMOS CHEE 8	58.00	220.41	.19	42.78	.04	.11
			TOTAL	75.54	251.98	.17	144.49	.10	.12
			GRAND CANYON URA						
			SUN VALLEY MINE	9.63	46.24	.24			.02
			TOTAL	9.63	46.24	.24			.02
			KACHINA URAN COF						
			MONTZUMA 2	2.66	21.50	.19	6.79	.06	.01
			TOTAL	2.66	21.50	.19	6.79	.06	.01
			MARBLE CANYON UP						
			FERDING	22.53	155.29	.34			.07
			TOTAL	22.53	155.29	.34			.07
			SHOOTING STAR UP						
			LIBA GROUP	229.21	985.75	.06	170.64	.04	.19
			TOTAL	229.21	985.75	.08	170.64	.04	.19
			UNIVERSAL URAN +						
			VERMILLION	9.32	16.82	.09	2.42	.09	
			TOTAL	9.32	16.82	.09	2.42	.09	